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BY S. M. BOOTH. MILWAUKEE. FRIDAY AFTERNOON, JANUARY 27, 1854 VOL. IV.....NO. 111

BUSINESS CARDS.

JOHN [illegible],
[illegible]

CHARLES [illegible],
[illegible]

[illegible] WEST & CO.
[illegible]

P. BARKER,
DEALER IN [illegible]

THOS. P. WILLIAMS,
[illegible]

AUSTIN & DUNN,
[illegible] AT LAW AND [illegible]

CYRUS D. BOOTH,
[illegible]

HERBERT REED,
[illegible]

DOCTOR J. P. GREAVES,
[illegible]

FINCH & LYNDE,
[illegible] AT LAW [illegible]

P. [illegible],
[illegible]

DOCTOR DOUGLAS,
[illegible]

JOHN GREGORY,
[illegible]

ALEXANDER MARQUIS,
[illegible]

H. S. BROWN,
[illegible]

IRVING BOOKSTORE.
[illegible]

[illegible] & CO.
[illegible] Block, [illegible]

MACK, OETTINGER & CO.
[illegible]

SILAS CHAPMAN
[illegible] STATIONER [illegible]

A. K. WILLIAMS,
[illegible] Auction

[illegible] PAINE & SONS,
[illegible]

H. P. PECK,
[illegible]

CURTON & SEYMOUR,
[illegible]

J. H. SILKMAN,
[illegible]

HALL & STARR,
ATTORNEYS & COUNSELLORS,
[illegible] NEW YORK

J. L. BIRCHARD,
[illegible] Upholstery No. 21 [illegible] Milwaukee. Splendid [illegible] proprietors [illegible]

BARKER & LOVE,
[illegible] Hydraulic Oil Press [illegible] Reaping and Mow[illegible] Band Drills, and Patent Mill [illegible] Saw Arbors, Superior [illegible] Drills, Corn Shellers, Grist [illegible] All kinds of Screw Cutting done [illegible] order and other machinery [illegible] A select and full assortment [illegible]
S. L. BARKER,
[illegible] LOVE.

SURVEYING & CIVIL ENGINEERING, AND HOUSE AGENCY.—The Sub[illegible] FARMS in every part of the [illegible] LOTS in every Ward in the City [illegible] Surveys, pay Taxes, divide [illegible] measure earth work [illegible] Contractors, draw Maps, Plans [illegible] Kneeland & Hull's Bank
[illegible] GREGORY [illegible] & Civ. Eng
[illegible] HUNTINGTON
[illegible] Industrial Resources of Wisconsin to [illegible]

PAINTING.

T. COLLINGBOURN,
HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTER,
PAPER HANGER, &c
[illegible] East Water Street, Milwaukee.
[illegible] IMITATION OF WOOD AND MARBLE, done [illegible]
[illegible] Oil, Glass, Sash and Putty, on hand. Also [illegible] American Zinc Paint [illegible]

H. SPAAN'S
GROCERY AND POULTRY STORE,
IN THE MARKET HOUSE—
East Water Street, - - - - Milwaukee.
WHEAT AT ALL TIMES, [illegible]
[illegible] a full assortment of GARDEN VEGETA[BLES] [illegible] of all kinds received fresh every morning. Al[so] [illegible] Poultry, Fruits, Flower and Garden Seeds, of [illegible] varieties, which will be sold at the [illegible] market price. Call and see.

BUSINESS CARDS.

R. P. CADY,
(S[uccess]or to Edward D. Holton.)
MANUFACTURER OF PURE SALERATUS and Deal[er] in Dry Goods and Groceries. 17 Spring street Mil[waukee] [illegible] une21 daily

DOCT. D. T. BROWN.
Homœopathic Physician
[illegible] Main Streets, opposite the M[ilwaukee] Bank
DR B keeps constantly on hand Homœopathic medi[cines] of all kinds, for the supply of Physicians and [fami]lies [illegible] apr8

WAUKESHA BUSINESS CARDS

GILBERT WRIGHT,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
WAUKESHA, WIS [illegible] 21 Nov

A. COOK,
[illegible] Office opposite the [illegible] Waukesha, Wis

J. M. HURLBURT,
[illegible] Opposite [illegible] Exchange, Wauke[sha] [illegible]

C. ALEXANDER,
[illegible] kinds of Har[ness] [illegible] All kinds of Job Work [illegible] Waukesha, Wis

L. HURLBURT,
[illegible] Solicitor in Chancery [illegible] Waukesha County [illegible] December 1851

WAUKESHA ADVERTISEMENTS.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, &c

H. N. DAVIS, [illegible] DRUGS MEDICINES PAINTS OILS DYE STUFFS & [illegible] Block sign of the Golden Mortar [illegible]

Books, Stationery, Paper-Hangings, &c.
[illegible]

I. B. DECKER,
[illegible] East Water Street [illegible]

HOMŒOPATHIC PHARMACY
[illegible]
THE [illegible] Physicians [illegible] supply of
Homœopathic Remedies,
[illegible]
DOUGLAS & GREAVES

1853.
E. M. SHOYER & CO.,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL CLOTHIERS
194, East Water Street, Milwaukee,
DEALERS IN
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,
FRENCH AND ENGLISH CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES & VESTINGS of the latest styles
[illegible] under the super[vision] of Mr. **S. H. BLACK,** a artist of [illegible]
READY MADE CLOTHING,
[illegible] New York. Our stock of
SHIRTS HOSIERY & CRAVATS
Gloves, Collars, Suspenders, &c ,
[illegible]
E. M. SHOYER
SAML SHOYER

GROCERIES! GROCERIES!!
AT WHOLESALE,
103 & 105. EAST WATER STREET.

P. W. BADGLEY & CO.
ARE RECEIVING [illegible] STOCK [illegible] receipts of
SUGAR AND MOLASSES.
[illegible] purchases [illegible] Dealers [illegible] New York [illegible]
FULL EQUALITY
[illegible] New York [illegible] South and West at [illegible]
ALL ORDERS [illegible] some at [illegible]
OUR STOCK in part consists as follows —
[illegible] SUGARS
[illegible] Bbls MOLASSES
[illegible] chests Green and Black TEAS
[illegible] Bags RIO COFFEE
[illegible] Boxes Manufactured TOBACCO
A large supply of LAMP OIL
500 Boxes SARDINES
[illegible] Pepper and Spice
[illegible] BRANDIES
[illegible] WINES [illegible] Pipes
Also agents for the celebrated TIGER MILL POWDER.
P. W. BADGLEY
JOHN A. DUTCHER
my16d&w

AT C. OTT'S BOOKSTORE, No 275, Mar[ket] Square has just arrived
F. AHN'S
New Practical and easy Method of
LEARNING THE GERMAN LANGUAGE.
WITH A PRONOUNCIATION
arranged according to J. C. Oehlschlæger's recently pub'd
Pronouncing German Dictionary.
FIRST & SECOND COURSE.—8vo 180 pages, bound in Muslin 37½ cents each
This little work which met a favorable reception in Europe is just republished in this country. It is suited to every capacity, and cannot fail to facilitate the labors of the student, who is desirous of learning to read and speak the German language in the shortest time possible. German literature occupies a high position. Germans are pouring into this State by thousands every year; their language, therefore, is becoming every day of more importance to the people of Wisconsin. We therefore heartily recommend these elementary works to all those who desire to study this fine language. [ap23] C. OTT, Agent.

SLATES—5 by 5, 5 by 7, 6 by 9, 7 by 11, 10 by 18, and larger, just received
oct21 d&c S. CHAPMAN

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.—100 pieces Floor Oil Cloths from 3 to 24 feet wide in store and for sale low
je11 BRADFORD BRO'S

JUST RECEIVED, 9 bbls Lard Oil, 25 bxs Star Candles, for sale low at the Chequered Warehouse,
[illegible] J. W. HASKIN.

SALT! SALT! SALT!—A cargo just landed of [illegible] Dairy Salt in store, all in good condition
[illegible] NICHOLS, BRITT & CO.

HAMBURGH AND OHIO CHEESE of the best quality, constantly on hand [illegible]
[illegible] NICHOLS, BRITT & CO.

TO FOUNDRYMEN.—A NO. 1 ARTICLE OF LEHIGH COAL, for sale at the Eagle Foundry.
dec8 [16] [illegible]

BACKGAMMON Boards—Common, Plain and Fancy
nov12 S. CHAPMAN.

PUBLIC HOUSES.

AMERICAN HOTEL,
CLEVELAND, OHIO,
WILLIAM MILFORD, Proprietor.

PRAIRIEVILLE HOUSE.
by P. G. JONES
WAUKESHA, - - - WISCONSIN

MATTESON HOUSE
Corner of Randolph and Dearborn streets,
CHICAGO, ILL.
STEVENS & WILLARD, PROPRIETORS.

NEW ENGLAND HOUSE,
Corner of Franklin and Dodge sts.
WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER,
JANESVILLE, - - - WISCONSIN.
JOHN KIMBALL, PROPRIETOR
This House is conducted upon strict Temperance Princi[ples] and furnished in a superior style [illegible] my18 d1

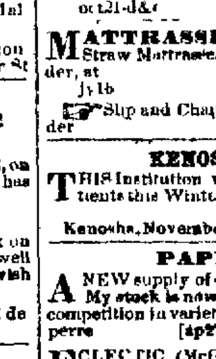
A. B. VAN COTT.
WATCHMAKER and JEWELLER.
Corner of Michigan and E Water Sts., Milwaukee,
AND 148 MAIN STREET, RACINE.
Having purchased the establishment of Mr. GARDNER Milwaukee [illegible] New York City [illegible] Western country. This assortment comprises Gold and Silver Watches [illegible]
CLOCKS [illegible] world. Also Marine Clocks
LOOKING GLASSES. A great assortment, with all [illegible]
SILVER WARE—Table, tea and desert spoons, sugar scoops, &c. warranted of the finest coin standard
LAMPS—A great variety of Solar Lamps of the most perfect construction, [illegible] beautiful and [illegible]
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
[illegible] Violins [illegible] Flutes [illegible] with instruction books, Violin and [illegible]
JEWELRY of the best quality including Fine Rings of [illegible] with diamond and stone settings [illegible] wedding rings
Mr VAN COTT [illegible] New York, his knowledge and experience furnish him with excellent opportunities [illegible]
FANCY GOODS of all kinds such as silver and [illegible] Silver Cake Baskets, Castors &c &c
[illegible] oct21

New Hat, Cap & Fur Store.

BARDSLEY & SCHLEIER,
No. 134 East Water Street, U. S. Block,
HAVING [illegible] store, are now prepared to show the citizens of Milwaukee and vicinity the most complete assortment of GOODS in their line ever brought to this market, all of the **Latest Styles,** and from the best Manufacturers [illegible]
HATS,
Of the crown manufacture, many form of [illegible] French Patent
CONFORMATEURS, so that we can [illegible]
LADIES' FURS,
is unusually complete, which we invite the Ladies of Milwaukee to call and examine [illegible]
Particular attention paid to making Hats to order.
THE LADIES are *particularly* invited to call and [examine] our Stock of **Fancy Furs.**
BARDSLEY & SCHLEIER

GREAT ARRIVAL OF
BOOKS AND STATIONERY!
HALL & PIERCE are now receiving their Fall stock much of which has had a long and perilous voyage on the "Raging Canal" but has escaped shipwreck and [illegible] **We mean what we say,** when we assert that we have the **best stock** of Cap and Letter Paper ever offered in Wisconsin, and at **lower prices.** Our stock of School Books and Stationery has never been surpassed. We have a few more of that [illegible] of Gold Pens, also a large stock of Wall and Curtain Paper. whole sale and retail
J. A. HALL R. W. PIERCE
oc18 **185 East Water Street.**

REMOVAL.



P. YALE has removed his CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT to No. **158,** Dickerman's block, East Water Street 3 doors south of the Wisconsin Fire & Marine Insurance Co's. Bank, where he is now receiving his spring and summer stock of **Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings** and **Ready-Made Clothing.** His stock was selected with much care and he would respectfully invite all who are in want of CLOTHING to give him a call, assuring them that he will always sell them a **good article at a low price.**
N. B.—WILLIAMS' REPORT OF FASHIONS con[stan]tly on hand for sale at [ap23] 158 E. Water St

NEW YORK MILLINERY
NEW QUARTERS! NEW GOODS!
REMOVAL!
MISS MORRIS has opened her NEW STORE, on the corner of Wisconsin and Main sts., where she has for sale a new and splendid assortment of
MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS
of the latest and best styles. She has also a large stock on the way and intends to keep her store at all times well supplied with the best goods, so that those ladies who wish to PURCHASE can always find what they want.
PATTERNS and DRESS TRIMMINGS of all de[s]criptions alway for sale my14

DECKER & SEVILLE,
PROPRIETORS OF THE
RELIANCE WORKS,
Milwaukee, - - - Wisconsin.
GENERAL MANUFACTURERS of Stoves, Castings, Agricultural Implements, Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Ware, French Burr Mill Stones, &c., &c.
Job Work done on the shortest notice, and in a workman like manner.
Manufactory, No. [illegible] West Water St | **Sale Rooms,** No. 315 East Water St
Also, Dealers in Bolting Cloths, Mill Furnishings, Stucco, Water Lime, Fire Brick, &c. april16
C. S. DECKER JAMES SEVILLE

COMMERCIAL HOTEL,
—No. 50—
East Water Street, Milwaukee.
"OLD GEORGE," late of the Rochester House, having leased for a term of years, the well known COMMERCIAL HOTEL, and refitted it in a comfortable style, he will be happy to see his old friends and as many new ones as will give him a call.
His table will be supplied with the best the market affords. Boarding by the day, month or year.
Good yard and stabling.
[illegible] GEORGE CARVELL.

B. A. CLIFFORD,
LANDSCAPE AND PORTRAIT PAINTER,
INVITES the Citizens to examine his Specimens [illegible]
Office—No. 3, (3d Story,) [illegible] Block.
[illegible]

NEW GOODS.
I AM [illegible] selected expressly for the [illegible]
HERBERT REED.
Milwaukee, Nov. 7, 1853 no8

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS' PRESENTS!
—AT—
F. J. BLAIR'S,
NO. 163, EAST WATER STREET.
A splendid variety of rich, ornamental and useful goods purchased expressly for the Holidays a list of which may be found below,

Band China Fruit Baskets,	Band gilt lustre and white china,
White do do	[illegible]
Band do Bowls,	Plated cake baskets
Rich decd china coffee cups	do castors,
do do card baskets,	do candlesticks,
do do cologne,	do lamps
do do candlesticks,	do [illegible] and trays
Bohemian glass vases	do spoons (tea and table)
do do decanters,	do butter & fruit knives,
do do wines	do dinner & [illegible] forks,
do do [illegible]	[illegible] candelabras,
do do [illegible]	do girandoles,
do do toilet bottles,	Solar and hall lamps
Terra Cotta and Wedgwood	Oil and gas chandeliers,
[illegible] with ash cups	[illegible]
French toilet sets,	do [illegible] mugs
Children's [illegible] and [illegible]	Toy, tea sets and decd mugs
English & French [illegible]	do cups, saucers, &c., &c.

Also a large lot of best ivory handled cutlery
dec21

REED'S BAKING POWDER.
FOR EASILY making Bread, Biscuit, Fried, Griddle and Johnny cakes &c &c. Infinitely better, sweeter whiter, lighter, healthier and much quicker than can be made by Durkee's or any other Baking Powder.
A large number of housekeepers in Milwaukee and else where who have tried this preparation pronounce it superior to any ever before used.
Use it according to the directions, and the Bread or Biscuit *must* rise, even with poor flour.
Those desiring further information in regard to the merits of the article by calling upon the manufacturer will be shown certificates from many of the most respectable residents of Milwaukee.
Prepared only by Herbert Reed, Family Grocer,
No. 215 East Water St., Milwaukee.
CAUTION.—The written signature of HERBERT REED must always be found upon a *red stamp* on the back of every package of the genuine article. Every paper [illegible] than any other similar preparation, and fully equal to the [illegible] mar1d1

MILWAUKEE GYMNASIUM.
TREAT'S HALL.
THE undersigned would respectfully beg leave to inform his friends and the public generally that he has fitted up TREAT'S HALL in a suitable manner for GYMNASTIC EXERCISES. The exercises proposed will consist of Vaulting, Climbing, Fencing and the art of Self Defence &c. The list of subscribers will be limited and the [illegible] from [illegible] o'clock A. M., and from [illegible] o'clock P. M. The intermediate [illegible] will be devoted to private instructions.—The Milwaukee Gymnasium is under the patronage of a number of the most influential men of the city, a large proportion of whom are Members of the Bar, Medical Faculty, bankers and Merchants.
may 1-dtf I. A. PEACOCK, Instructor.

MR & MRS JOHNSTON'S
DAGUERREAN ROOMS,
HYDE'S BLOCK,
No. 177 1-2, East Water-St., Milwaukee.
This is the only establishment in town in which a [illegible] choice stock just arrived from Boston
[illegible] pictures taken accurately, and da[guerreo]types copied on Ivory
The art of [illegible] and Drawing taught by Mrs JOHNSTON (oc8 d1y) D. JOHNSTON

BOOT AND SHOE STORE,
No. 116 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
THE SUBSCRIBER may now be found at his new place of business, No 116 East Water st., opposite the new store of Durand & Lawrence.
Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the patronage of his old friends, and to [illegible] hosts of new ones to give him a call.
His stock of Boots and Shoes are all *his own manufacture,* and by employing good workmen and using the best material he feels confident that he can give perfect satisfaction to his customers.
Remember the name and number
oct21 H. FREEMAN 116 East Water st.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL OF
NEW AND BEAUTIFUL CARPETING—Just received by the Subscribers a fine assortment of **Velvet Tapestry, Brussels, Three Ply and Ingrain Carpetings,** some new patterns of Three Ply goods never before seen and we think the handsomest styles that have yet been exhibited in our city. We should be happy to show the goods to our citizens before the assortment is broken
[illegible] BRADFORD BROTHERS

HYACINTHS, &c
THOMAS HISLOP Seedsman and Florist to the Wisconsin State Agricultural Society, (by appointment) has just received direct from Hamburg, and for sale a choice assortment of DUTCH FLOWER ROOTS, comprising Hyacinths, Narcissus, Tulips, Ranunculus, Crocus, Snowdrops, Amaryllis, Gladiolus &c &c. Also 100 varieties German flower seeds. 55 Wisconsin St., Milwaukee oc15

IVORY HANDLED CUTLERY.—Just received, the largest and best selected stock of Table Cutlery to be found in this city, consisting of knives and forks, [illegible] sorts of 51 pieces, Dinner and Desert Knives without forks, Butter Knives, Carvers and Forks, Fruit Knives, &c &c, for sale very low at No 163 East Water street. june 28 F. J. BLAIR

PLEASANT ROOMS TO RENT,
ON upper part of Main street. Parlor, and Bed Room adjoining, with use of kitchen if required. Terms moderate.
Enquire of Mr. CHAPMAN, Meat Market, 192 East water street. dec15 dtf

INK—Arnold's Writing Ink, in stone bottles for Schools, for sale by the dozen very low. Arnold's writing Fluid one half pint, pint, and quart bottles.—Black Record Ink, various sizes, Arnold's copying Ink, Arnold's Red Ink
oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN.

MATTRASSES.—Hair Felt, Moss, Cotton and Straw Mattrasses constantly on hand or made to order, at A. D. SEAMAN'S,
jy16 172 & 174 East Water st
Slip and Chair Cushions on hand and made to order

KENOSHA WATER-CURE
THIS Institution will be open for the reception of patients this Winter. Proprietor
H. T. SEELEY, M. D.
Kenosha, November 2, 1852. nov3-dactl

PAPER HANGINGS.
A NEW supply of over 150 varieties this day received. My stock is now the largest in the State, and defies competition in variety, quality and price, from 8c to $1,50 per re [ap27] S. CHAPMAN.

ECLECTIC (McGuffey's) Series of Reading Books.—Sanders's do do do
Rays' series of Arithmetic and Algebra—with all school books in common use, in any quantity.
nov12 S. CHAPMAN

NEW STYLE CAPS.
A NEW and beautiful style of Caps—latest fashion—can be found at 152 East Water street.
ap11 J. H. SILKMAN

MONOCHROMATIC BOARD, Crayon Paper, Drafting paper, Profile paper, Crayon Stumps, Black and Chalk Crayons, French Pastil Crayons, &c., &c.
oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN

FAIRHAVEN OYSTERS.—Received by express direct from Fair Haven—warranted fresh—for sale at
dec3 H. REED'S.

LIVE GEESE FEATHERS.—60 bags of [illegible] Live Geese Feathers, just received and for sale at
[illegible] BRADFORD BRO'S

CUTTING AND SEAL PRESSES.—At reduced prices, by A. WHITTEMORE & CO.
[illegible] East Water st.

JAVA COFFEE, in pockets, the real old [illegible] warranted to [illegible] (nov8) H. REED'S.

OPAQUE QUILLS.—No 80, this day received.
oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN

KEY TO UNCLE TOM, this day received.
[illegible] S. CHAPMAN.

HERRING.—Scaled Herring by the box, at
[illegible] H. REED'S.

THE [illegible] this day received.— aug16 S. CHAPMAN.

M[illegible] [illegible]

TONGUES AND SOUNDS, [illegible] received at (nov9) H. REED'S

1853. WINTER TRADE. 1853.
JOHN D. GARDINER,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS!
No. 135 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
Sound the loud timbrel o'er Prairie and River!
Proclaim the glad tidings—Goods cheaper than ever!

IN VIEW of the luxuriant crops in all the great staples of our young and glorious State, and the good prices they at present command, and the consequent increased ability of our farmers to buy, as well as the increased activity of business generally among all classes, the subscriber has been induced to make extra preparations for a large and extensive trade. In anticipation of this increased demand for Dry Goods, he has spent a portion of the past summer and fall east, where he has been engaged in buying one of the largest and most varied stock of Dry Goods that he has ever yet brought into Wisconsin. In buying these Goods, he has taken the utmost pains in selecting the best and most fashionable styles and qualities.
His purchases have been made by the Bale, Case and Package direct of the Manufacturers or their Agents, the Importers and at Auction. His facilities for buying fully warrant him in saying that they are equalled but by few and excelled by no firm in the trade. The old motto that "Goods well bought are half sold" has governed him in his purchases. And knowing that he buys as low, he is determined not to be undersold in a fair and legitimate way. Come then all you who are weary and heavy laden with the yellow coin, or ready to part with good promises to pay, and we will give you rest and impart comfort to those who are hungry and naked by selling good cheap goods.
This fact I am sure to keep prominently and perpetually before the People—THAT WE DO NOT PERMIT OURSELVES UNDER ANY REASONABLE CIRCUMSTANCES TO BE UNDERSOLD. Remember it
Our Stock consists in part of the following articles

100 bales Sheetings,	10 cases bleached Shirtings,
50 do Bags,	10 do Cotton Flannel,
25 do Wadding,	10 do Denims,
25 [illegible] stripe Shirting,	10 do Kentucky Jeans
10 do Bed Ticking,	5 do Sheeps Greys
5 do brown Drills,	5 do Tweeds,
10 do blue Drills,	5 do Satinetts
10 do Carpet Yarn, col'd 5 and white	do Fancy Woolens,
10 do Cotton Yarn, fine 5 to 12	

10 000 pieces PRINTS from 6¼c to 12½ per yard
500 do DE LAINES from 9c to [illegible]
[illegible] do Lancaster Ginghams at 12½ per yard
English and French Merinoes, various colors and prices
Thibet Cloths and Coburgs do do
Ladies' Cloth for Capes and Cloaks, a beautiful assortment $1.31 per yard
Bonnet Satins, Silks and Velvets.
Black and Colored Dress Silks, and Bonnet Silk Velvets of various colors
Barr'd Swiss and Cambric Muslins.
Plain and figured Cambric and Jaconet Muslins
Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs from 6c to [illegible] each,
A Splendid Assortment of Embroideries
Linen Cambric Hdk'fs embroidered, Lawn Cambric Collars, Muslin Collars, Muslin Undersleeves, [illegible] &c &c. All these goods we are selling for about half the cost of importation
HOSIERY.
Ladies English [illegible] and [illegible] thread Cotton Hose, Ladies mixed brown and white Cotton Hose from 8c to 3s per pair, Ladies white mixed woolen and lamb's wool Hose, children's white, brown mixed and slate colored Cotton Hose, from 8c to 1s, children's plaid cotton and woolen Hose, elastic tops, Men's Hose of various kinds and qualities, Mens and Womens lamb's wool and Cotton knit Shirts and Drawers, Ladies Silk Shirts, and very fine Merino do
Gloves.—Ladies and Gents Cotton Lisle, Silk Kid and Merino, Mens Buck Mittens and Gloves, Mens Woolen Mittens and Gloves
FLANNELS,
Red, White, Blue, Green and Yellow. Bay State Sack Flannels. Rose, Whitney, Duffy and Mackinaw Woolen Bed and Horse Blankets
1000 Woolen Shawls,
from 37½ cents to $10. A splendid article of Double Brochè Shawl, warranted pure silk and wool, for $[illegible]
Linen Sheeting.
Pillow Case Linen, Damask Table Linen, 8-4, 10-4, 12-4 Linen Damask Table cloths, Irish Linen, &c., &c
Yankee Notions.
1000 dozen Spools Cotton, 500 packages Pins. 10 cases Cotton Thread, 1 000 000 Needles, 100,000 Percussion Caps, Knitting Cotton, Hooks and Eyes, Steel Pens, Buttons, Tape, Combs, Suspenders, Knives, Portmonies, Pocket Books, &c., &c
Tea, Coffee and Sugar.
We shall continue to sell at WHOLESALE and RETAIL for a limited time only TEA, COFFEE and SUGAR
It is perhaps unnecessary to say here that these goods have advanced but we are selling what we have on hand to our customers at the old prices. As they were bought before the advance, and as we intend to discontinue this branch of our business for a time at least, after selling what we have on hand
Whale Oil and Tanner's Oil,
We have consigned to us for sale on commission
We sell for Cash or approved Credit.
des 17dac J. D. GARDINER, 135 East Water st

GREAT CURE FOR
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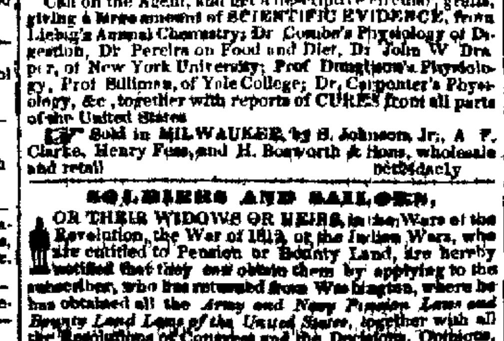

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"OUR HATTY."

She might have had twenty other names, but that was the only appellation I ever heard. It was "get out of my way, Hatty;" "I dare say Hatty broke the vase, or lost that book;" "do not come here; what a fright you are;" till the poor child felt almost as if she had the mark of Cain on her forehead. She had brothers and sisters, but they were bright, and saucy, bold, and cunning, and when they wished to carry out a favorite scheme, could throw their arms about the paternal neck, flatter some and carry the day, and then laugh at their juvenile foresight; so their coffers were always filled, while Hatty's were empty, and she laid all those things up in her little grieved heart, and as she saw duplicity better rewarded than sincerity, began to have little infidel doubts, whether the Bible that her father read from was really true; while Joseph's "coat of many colors," ever flaunted before her tearful eyes. All her sweet, childish impulses were checked and crushed; and where the sweet flowers of love and confidence should have sprung up, the weeds of distrust and suspicion took bitter root.

She took no part in the conversation of the domestic circle. "She was stupid," they told her, and she had heard it till she believed it was true. Sometimes, as was often the case, some talented person made a part of the family circle. Hatty would listen in her corner till her great wild eyes glowed and burned like living coals of fire. But there was one spot where none had disputed Hatty's right to reign; a little, lonely room in the top of the house, that she had fitted up in her own wild way, and where she was free from reproof and intrusion.

You should have seen her there, with her little yearning heart half broken by neglect; doubtful of her own powers and weeping such passionate tears that "she was so stupid, and ugly, and disagreeable," that nobody could love her. And she made friends with the holy stars and fleecy clouds, and the brilliant rainbows, the silver moonbeams, and the rapid lightning; an artistic eye, to see her soul lit face at the small window, might have fancied her some Italian improvisatrice. There the fetters fell off, the soul was free, and the countenance irradiated forth. Back in the family circle, she was again "our Hatty."

"That young daughter of yours differs very much from the rest of your family Mr Lee," remarked an elderly maiden lady who was visiting there.

"Yes, yes!" said the old man, with a shrug, "she don't look much like a Lee, in fact, she is very plain. She is a strange, unaccountable child; likes her own company better than anybody's else, and don't care a rush-light for all the knick knacks, other girls are teasing for. Sometimes I think she belongs to another brood, got changed in the cradle, or something."

"How does she spend her hours?" asked Miss Tabitha.

"I am sure I don't know—wife says she has a little den at the top of the house, where she sits star-gazing. Queer child that Hatty; plain as a pike staff," and Mr Lee took up the newspaper, and put his foot on the mantel.

Miss Tabitha was confounded. She had an uncommonly warm heart for an old maid. She had never been a parent, she wished she had, just to show some people what a nice one she would make. She inwardly resolved to know more of our "Hatty."

"Tap, tap," on the door of Hatty's little den—what on earth did it mean? She hoped they did not mean to take it away from her, and with a guilty, frightened look she opened the door.

Miss Tabitha entered.

"Are you vexed with me for coming here, child? You don't look glad to see me."

"No, no," said Hatty, putting back a mass of tangled black hair, "but it is so odd that you should want to come. Nobody ever wanted to see me before."

"And why not, Hatty?"

"Well, I don't know," she said, with a touching meekness and simplicity, "unless it is that I am stupid, and ugly, and disagreeable."

"Who told you that, Hatty?"

"All of them down stairs," said she, "and I don't care about it, only—only"—and the tears rolled down her cheeks—"it is so dreadful to feel that nobody can ever love me."

Miss Tabitha looked rather strangely, and muttered, "Humph!"

"Hatty," said she, "come here. Do you ever look in the glass?"

"Not since a long while," said the young girl, shrinking back.

"Come here and look in this small mirror. Do you see those large black eyes of yours? Do you see that wealth of raven hair, that a skilful hand might render a beautiful, instead of a tangled deformity? Do you see those little, supple limbs, that a little care and training might render graceful as the swaying willow? There is intellect on your brow; soul in your eye, your voice has a thrilling heart tone. Hatty, you are a gem in the rough! You cannot be ugly; but listen to me. It is every woman's duty to be lovely and attractive. You have underrated and neglected yourself, my poor child. Nature has been no niggard to you. I do not say it to make you vain, but to inspire you with a proper confidence in yourself. But what have you here?" said she, as a large portfolio fell at her feet.

"Oh, Miss Tabitha, please don't, it is only a little scribbling—just when I felt wretched. Please don't."

"Yes, but I shall, though. It's just what I want to see most," and she went on reading paper after paper, while Hatty stood like a culprit before her. When she had finished, she said, very slowly and deliberately—

"Hatty, come here. Did you know that you were a genius?"

"A what, Miss Tabitha?"

"A genius, you delicious bit of simplicity—a genius. You'll know fast enough what it is, and to think I should have been the first to find it out!" and she caught the astonished child in her arms and kissed her till Hatty thought a genius must be the most delightful thing in the world, to bring so much love with it.

"Look here, Hatty, does anybody know this?" holding up the manuscripts.

Hatty shook her head.

"So much the better, stupid, ugly, disagreeable, humph! Do you know I am going to run off with you?" said the little old maid; "we shall see, Miss Hatty."

Five years rolled away. A new life had been opened to Hatty. She had grown into a tall, graceful woman. Her step was as light as a fawn's. Her face, not beautiful certainly, if tried by the rules of art; and yet, who that watched its ever varying expression, would stop to criticise. No one cared to analyze the charm. She produced the effect of beauty; she was fascinating. Miss Tabitha was satisfied, she knew it would be just so.

They had almost forgotten her at Lee's house; once in a while they wondered if Miss Tabitha was not tired of her. Miss Tabitha thought she would let them know. Unbounded was their amazement when Tabitha ushered our "Hatty" in! She was really almost pretty! Still there was the same amount of heart in their manner towards her, and the little old maid could not have kept within bounds had she not powerful reasons of her own to keep quiet awhile.

"By the way, Miss Tabitha," said Mr. Lee, "as you are a blue stocking, you can inform me as to the author of that beautiful volume of [illegible] that [illegible] literary world astir? It [illegible] but I'd give something to see the woman who wrote it."

[illegible] Miss Tabitha's time had come. Her eyes twinkled with delight! She handed him a [illegible]

"Well, here is a book I was commissioned to give you by the authoress herself [illegible] following on the fly-leaf; [illegible] affectionate daughter, the authoress."

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MADISON CORRESPONDENCE.

[REPORTED FOR THE FREE DEMOCRAT.]

The Ryan Judgment.

MADISON, Jan 23d, 1854

IN ASSEMBLY.—Mr. Webster's motion of Saturday, to reconsider the vote on the bill in favor of E. G. Ryan, Esq., came up in order.

Mr Hull said: I dont know what the object of this motion is. If it be to defeat the bill, it will certainly fail. In all probability it has already passed the Senate. What then will be done? The resolution already offered by the gentleman to have the bill returned from that body must be passed here first, and then the Senate will have to reconsider all its past action upon it, and all this being without utility, it will not be done. It cannot be done without dishonor. If I were convinced that the withdrawing this appropriation could be done with honor, perhaps I might vote against the bill. But if this be to repudiate a just debt, the people should know it. I am in favor of carrying out the decision of the highest tribunal in the State, and the Supreme Court have fully decided that this is a just claim.

Mr. Webster: I voted among the yeas for the express purpose of moving a reconsideration. I thought Mr. Ryan the soul and life of that impeachment movement. But I have since had the facts before me, which prove that he was urged by the committee into the employment of the State. He was urged by Telegraph to come speedily, to examine witnesses. I send up to the clerk to be read, the papers containing these facts. (The Clerk read these papers.)

Mr Orton: I hope the bill will not be reconsidered. I do not think it pertinent to enter into the original merits of the subject. If it were a case between others, in a suit at law, there could not be a question in regard to the enforcement of the judgment. This State has done what other States have not done—it allows itself to be sued in its own Courts. I say nothing of the policy of this. But it has put itself in a position to be a defendant in Court upon the complaint of a citizen. But no execution can issue. There is no legal power to force the State to pay up the judgment. But there is a higher ground than *legal* consideration. It is the moral—it is the exemplary. We require defendants to pay the judgments against them—they *must* pay—and we consider it no hardship to them that they be made to pay. And now shall the great, the noble, the generous State of Wisconsin, sink so low as to repudiate the judgment against her in her own Court, when she has nobly and generously opened the way for the plaintiffs to obtain judgment against her? Shall we now skulk from liabilities? We compel others to pay their debts, and especially judgments. And here we have the highest indebtedness that a State can have.—There is no State in the Union that has indebtedness of higher obligation. The United States Government owes not a dollar for consideration so high as this. And Mississippi, with all the odium attached to her for repudiating her debts, stands higher in the contest—infinitely higher, than would the State of Wisconsin, should we repudiate this obligation. It is now too late to inquire into the merits of the claim. The Attorney General subsequently defended the state and submitted upon demurrer all that could be expected of an Attorney. The Court made its decision. It was taken before a jury, who awarded $300. The Attorney of the State would have testified that $5000 would have been no more than a just award. But it is said the Att'y General introduced no witnesses on that occasion. Some casualty had kept him from being present. But why should the State seek excuse? It was her own officer. It is true the Attorney General ought to have been there. It was *his* neglect, and upon him let the responsibility rest for not being there. But the judgment of the Court was conclusive. The jury that decided upon the amount were honest men, from among the farmers—they were not lawyers. Now, to go back and to refuse to pay the claim, is a direct high-handed act of repudiation.

Mr Baker: One point has been overlooked. Before Mr Ryan could have gone into court against the State, there must have been a refusal on the part of the legislature to allow the demand. But it is said there was no such refusal.

Mr Earnest: In relation to that objection. It may be that there was no direct refusal, and that there was no quorum at the time to do legislative business; but payment was not made. That is enough. If they had done what they should have done, they would have had a quorum, and might have saved $1500 to the State. It is better to dispose of the case at once.

Mr Lees moved that the motion for reconsideration be laid upon the table. It was not agreed to.

Mr Noggle: I simply voted against this appropriation; but now, as the question has been again raised, and so much eloquence has been poured forth, I shall give my reasons for my vote. I look upon this judgment in the same light as any other judgment upon default. Gentlemen seem to talk as though the refusal to pay this judgment would be a reflection against the Supreme Court. That Court is composed of gentlemen of sounder judgment than to feel aggrieved by such action. If the case was virtually by default, the Court could not decide upon points that did not arise before it. It could not decide upon the Constitutionality of the law. If it had, I should vote for the appropriation. But it went by default, and at the plaintiff's own peril.

Mr Ryan at first asked only $2100 for services rendered to the State. While this was pending, the Legislature adjourned. There had been an appropriation passed in one House and sent to the other. But there was no quorum. Admit that there was no session at the conclusion of the impeachment trial, yet that Legislature had a right to hold a session at any time afterwards. It was Ryan's duty to have waited for a session. But, without giving opportunity to the Legislature to refuse his account, he proceeded against the State. The law was passed in 1850, allowing the State to be sued. Under that law, according to section 1st, there was required to be a refusal before action could be maintained. There is no provision for a jury by this law. And this matter was taken before a jury, at Mr. Ryan's own peril. If there be no provision for a jury, it is in direct conflict with the Constitution. The Constitution does not allow an original case in the Supreme Court. It is wholly upon this law, and the State of Wisconsin had no appearance in the case; and so the question of the Constitutionality of the law was not tried by the Court. And shall we now vote against what is right, fearing the odium of "repudiation?"—Shall the Legislature be tied down without defence? Must we pay this judgment contrary to what is equitable and right, merely because there was a decision, even when the State had no opportunity of resisting the claim?

The strongest argument that has been made in favor of the appropriation, is that the discussion is consuming time and increasing the cost. Then at once open the door for all appropriations, and let any one who has any claim come in with his demand, grant it without discussion, and not, by the consumption of time, increase expenses beyond the supposed claim itself.

If there were a judgment by default against my brother on the opposite side, he would not allow an execution. But this great State must submit! I would vote for a reasonable appropriation, but it should be without reference to this judgment. It is said we should give the $3,000 because some witness, not sworn, would have required $5,000. It may possibly be that some would think their services worth that, and some would refuse at any price. But allow a claim, coming in this way, and how do we know how many other claims may come in for the State to pay them? They would be just as reasonable as for Ryan. It is a strange estimation of the value of services. The Judges of the Supreme Court, who are [illegible] laboring for the State, get only $2,000 in a whole year. But Ryan, delighting in the job, must have $3,000 for six weeks' service. Why, even after he had become exhausted with his excessive labor, he then only estimated it worth $2,000.

Mr Orton: The Honorable gentleman from Rock is mistaken. It was not in the nature of default. The Attorney General took every step. The demurrer raised every question. The Court decided that the Legislature had refused to pay the claim, and decided that Mr. Ryan had been legally retained as counsel for the State. There was another case about the same time, in which the question of the constitutionality of the law was raised, and it was decided to be constitutional. There was no default except at the Jury of Inquest. On that ground of absence, the Attorney General applied to set aside the judgment. The Court decided he had notice. And, with all the gentleman's casuistry and sophistry, he cannot make out a case to set aside the judgment. I presume he alluded to me when speaking of his "brother on the opposite side." But I do not doubt the gentleman himself is accustomed to instruct those who have judgment against them by default, that it is useless to contend against the judgment. It is not, in this case, a matter of policy, it is justice. To reject the claim is repudiation.

Mr. Hull: I feel under obligations to the gentleman [Mr. Orton] for the able manner in which he has argued this case. I call attention to the journals of the last Legislature to show that there was a quorum. The Assembly struck out $2,000 and put it $1,000. This was a refusal. And it was upon this refusal that the Supreme Court decided. It is a poor compliment that gentlemen pass upon the Supreme Court—that the case was decided by default.

Mr. Noggle: I do not say that it was by default, but that it was in the nature of a default. I look upon this proceeding as one that the Supreme Court was in no manner under obligation to adjudicate. If our Supreme Court is so wise that it cannot err, then we must make the appropriation. In no case shall the Supreme Court have a jury. Of course, then, the Constitution intended that the Legislature should have the jury cases before courts proper under the Constitution.

Mr. Knowlton: I shall vote against a reconsideration. Gentlemen have not stated the facts correctly. Mr. Ryan did ask $2,000 before the Assembly. The vote was taken, and $1000 was the amount allowed. The bill was sent to the Senate. There it was moved to strike out $1,000 and insert $2,000, which was carried. Another amendment was made in favor of Arnold and myself. The bill came back to the House. I staid here until midnight. It was ascertained that there was not a sufficient number present to act upon the appropriation bill. There was no action on the concurrence. It is said that amounted to a refusal. I regret exceedingly to differ from the gentleman. The Assembly refusing is not a refusal of the Legislature. I understand that question was submitted to the Supreme Court. The Court must have taken one of two things—either that that action of the Legislature was equivalent to a refusal, or that that part of the law making a refusal requisite is unconstitutional. But Mr. Ryan himself did not claim that there was a refusal. There certainly was not a refusal. The Court must therefore have held that that portion of the Statute was unconstitutional.

And now, is this Assembly to decide on the constitutionality of the law? This is not a question for any other tribunal than the Supreme Court.

The gentleman continued some time longer in a clear, logical argument, to show that the Supreme Court had original, as well as appellate, jurisdiction. He concluded that there was no trial by jury before the Supreme Court—"none earthly." In conclusion he said: If this were an original question, I could not vote for more than $2,000. I presume Mr. Webster or some other distinguished man might have required five or ten thousand dollars for no more than Mr. Ryan did. Still, I think $3,000 too much. But I shall not vote for a reconsideration.

Mr. Remington: I believe that the Supreme Court makes it the law of the land, right or wrong. If a citizen, to whom the State was indebted, should move out of the State, and bring suit against the State in the United States Court, the judgment would have to be paid, or the property of the State would be taken on execution.

Mr. Scott: The tax roll shows taxes of the State are six mills on the dollar. Why is this high tax necessary in addition to the county and more local taxes? Individuals, for personal reasons and malicious purposes, bring up an impeachment trial of one of the high officers of the State, and subject the State to enormous expense. It will produce restlessness. One in pain sleeps but lightly. And we ask why this high tax? In conducting this trial, the House, as in a sister State, might have been represented by a Committee, and saved the expense of a full Legislature. In regard to your legal questions I have nothing to say. When Doctors disagree, who shall decide? But I look at the righteousness of the thing. We hire a gentleman, named Barstow, for $1,200 a year, to see to all the Executive business of the State; and shall we give $3,000 to a man merely to give his opinion during the term of six weeks? I am willing to pay all that is legally and justly due. But there is no legal obligation to pay so much. This is only the precursor of other demands. Yet if the precedent be a right one, "go it." But I will not vote for a precedent of extortion. I shall judge as near as I can, allowing for the talent and information of the man, and pay all I ought.

Mr. Lees moved a call of the House before proceeding to vote, which was ordered, and, it appearing that there were sufficient present, the Clerk proceeded to take the yeas and nays on the motion for reconsideration, which resulted in yeas 30, nays 41. So the motion was lost.

Church Action.

The Presbyterian Church of Illinois, through its Synod, has expressed itself in favor of the Maine Law by the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That this Synod, feeling the necessity in this State of a law prohibitory of the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors for a beverage, recommend to the ministers and churches, and the public at large, to take such action as shall be calculated to secure the speedy passage of a law containing the principles of the so-called Maine Law.

The same Church has declared against the infamous and diabolical Slave Law of Ill., in the subjoined emphatic language:

1. That said Legislature acted unconstitutionally. The Constitution limits the power of action to the Legislature next succeeding the adoption of the Constitution. The Act violated one of the general, great and essential principles of Liberty, which our Constitution declares to be unalterably established, viz:—"There shall neither be slavery nor involuntary servitude in this State, except as a punishment for *crime*, whereof the party shall have been duly convicted."

2. This action presents the unheard-of and strange fact, that our Free State is now the only State in the American Union where slavery exists by statute.

3. That this Synod enter their solemn protest against such dark and guilty legislation, and will use all proper means to procure a repeal of said law.

AT the annual meeting of the Fond du Lac Co. Agricultural Society, held at Fond du Lac on the 18th inst., the following officers were chosen for the current year:

President—C. S. Hamilton, of Fond du Lac.
Vice Presidents—Edward Pier, Chas. Brown, of Fond du Lac; C. B. Phelps, of Byron; Jno. Berry, of Empire; Almond Atwood, of Waupun; H. D. Hitt, of Oakfield; Clinton Matteson, of Rosendale; W. R. Talmadge, of Calumet; B. F. Smith, of Taycheedah.
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FRIDAY: JANUARY 27.

For President in 1856,
JOHN P. HALE, of New York.
FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
GEORGE W. JULIAN, of Indiana.

Land Appropriations.

We are under obligations to Hon. J. B. MACY for a copy of a letter of Hon. HIRAM BARBER, of Juneau, Dodge Co., respecting a grant of land to the State of Wisconsin for the La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad. Wisconsin can build this road without any grant of land, and we do not believe that Congress will curse the State by giving her one.

The *News*, of this morning, alludes to the subject of land donations in the following pertinent style:

"We are mortified to find, in the proceedings of Congress on the 19th, the introduction of three bills by Hon. DANIEL WELLS, Jr., of this city, providing for the donation of lands for three railroads in this State, one of which only, from Milwaukee to Prairie du Chien, is specified in the Globe newspaper. They were referred to the Committee on Public Lands. We sincerely hope that none of these roads will receive the desired donations. If capitalists and farmers living along the proposed routes have not confidence enough to furnish the means to build them, they are not worth being built.—The Milwaukee and Mississippi road, which asked for a grant, as we infer from the bill, was very much opposed, last winter, to allowing a grant for the Valley Road."

LA CROSSE RAILROAD.—Messrs. BRADLEY, WHITTEMORE & CO., Contractors, state that they were never more promptly and satisfactorily paid by any Railroad Company, than they have been by the La Crosse & Milwaukee Railroad Co., also that the road will be completed to Portage Prairie, some 80 miles from this city, by the 1st of Sept next, and that it will doubtless be finished to Portage City within the year. No road in the State has been pushed ahead at near so rapid a rate as this.

"TOO MUCH OF A GOOD THING."—We now not only receive the *weekly* but the *tri-weekly* Milwaukee *Free Democrat*. The latter is all we want at present—we can say that it is an excellent *local* paper, and no mistake.'—*Potosi Republican.*

It was by an oversight that the weekly was continued after the tri-weekly was sent, and we thank you for calling our attention to it, promising that we will not trouble you with "too much of a good thing" any longer.

INDUSTRIAL UNIVERSITY AND STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.—The citizens of Chicago were to meet on Wednesday evening last, to take into consideration the subject of founding an Industrial University and State Normal School, and petitioning the Legislature to appropriate the Seminary for that purpose.

THE *Buffalo Republic* denominates ex-Senator Foote a "political vagrant." This may not be entirely inappropriate, as Mr Foote is about migrating to California to try his luck there, having run into the ground, politically, in Mississippi.

IT is rumored that Senator Houston will offer a resolution calling upon the President for information respecting the Soulé duel, and suggesting that public interest will be subserved by the recall of Mr. Soulé.

R. R. AID.—On the 8th of February next, the people of Sheboygan vote on the question of loaning its credit, to the amount of $100,000, to aid in the construction of the Sheboygan and Mississippi Railroad.

ALDERMAN STURDEVANT, of New York, is in prison, under arrest for disobeying an injunction prohibiting him from voting on the Broadway Railroad grant.

COLD WEATHER.—At Appleton, at sunrise, on the 23d inst., the thermometer stood at 32° below 0; at Green Bay 36°; at Prairie du Chien 37°; at Fort Winnebago 38°; at Madison 38°.

THE Common Council of Chicago have recently created the office of Superintendent of Schools, and elected John D. Philbrick to the post. Salary $1,500.

BELOIT COLLEGE MONTHLY.—This sprightly and readable periodical, for January, is received, and is as interesting as ever.

GREAT WESTERN R. R.—The total cost of this road is $9,600,000, and its length is 228 miles.

A NEW Seminary of high grade, is about to be established at Quincy, Ill., under the patronage of the M. E. Church.

HON. JOHN P. HALE lectured at Rome, N. Y., on Wednesday evening of last week, on—"A day in the Senate."

THE Ladies of Detroit are about to return to the fashion of wearing large "mutton leg sleeves."

A NEW Methodist Church is to be dedicated at Chicago on Sunday next.

MRS. FOX, and her daughter, Miss KATE FOX, are in Washington.

THE winter had been very mild at Washington, up to the 21st inst.

THE Printers of Detroit are all in a quarrel about the celebration of Franklin's Birth-day.

Produce of all kinds and in quantities unprecedented in the history of Sheboygan continues to pour into this city. We have had quite a month of most excellent sleighing and there is every prospect that it will continue until the middle of March.—*Sheboygan Jour.*

The weather for a week past has been extremely cold, the thermometer ranging from ten to twenty degrees below zero during the day, and sinking completely down at night.—We have upwards of a foot of snow, and most excellent sleighing.—[illegible]

Pork is on the rise in this market. Farmers generally are making sale of their hogs at a fair price—$3.50 to $3.75 and [illegible].—[illegible]

For the Free Democrat.

"The Uncertainty of the Law."

From time immemorial "the uncertainty of the law" has been used as a scape-goat to bear the sins of ignorant, and hence unlucky, lawyers, and of graceless, and hence unfortunate, clients; but from the time of Blackstone to a very recent period, the cant phrase owes its notoriety to other causes, affecting the decisions of Courts and juries, rather than to any real doubt or uncertainty as to the law of the case. Among these other causes may be enumerated, as prominent, the uncertainty or failure of testimony—the general disposition of clients to conceal from counsel the bad points of their case, and their reliance upon a *good* story, well told, and upon the tact of the lawyer to make it what he would have it. "The uncertainty of the law" was the *exception*, which sometimes disturbed opinions and disappointed reasonable expectations, and not the *general* "make-weight" which error threw into the wrong side.

In times more nearly approximating to our own, however, various causes have operated to increase and extend the evil expressed in the phrase, until "the uncertainty of the law" has come to be a *truism*—a *reality*, alike perplexing and annoying to the members of the legal profession, and prejudicial to the rights of suitors. No one of ordinary perception, I think, can deny this, who will spend a day in our higher Courts, and listen to the arguments of counsel, and the reading of the huge pile of *authorities(?)* usually paraded before the Court, on either side, for the purpose of sustaining antagonistical opinions, and then hear the hesitating, doubting, unsatisfying opinion of the Judge.—As contributing to this result, and especially as the primary cause of that to which I shall hereafter allude, as the more immediate and potent agent in producing the evil now justly complained of, may be specified the facility with which individuals, without proper personal character and competent attainments, obtain admission within the bar—the influence of political considerations in placing upon the bench unqualified and unscrupulous judges—and, from a disregard of fixed legal principles, an increasing disposition to make questions of *present policy*, as they happen to be regarded by the individuals composing the bench, govern the opinions of the Courts of dernier resort. The more recent the reports, the more manifest this disposition, and the wider the departure from the deductions of a sound philosophy, based on the immutable principles of right. On a critical examination of the Reports of the late Supreme Court of Wisconsin, one cannot but be struck with the frequent departure from well established precedents, which they exhibit; and the substituting of some consideration of immediate *policy*, as the grounds of the decision. Indeed, in one case, at least, that Court has not hesitated to avow that it has arbitrarily set aside and abrogated a well settled rule, hitherto received as law, and has substituted in its stead a *British salute*, as the better *policy*. Nor have the Courts of other States been seemingly less reluctant or scrupulous in following the same course of decisions. Under such circumstances, how can it be otherwise than that the law must partake of that uncertainty which always characterizes opinions in relation to matters of mere policy? And hence the philosophy of that conclusion to which I have arrived, *that the indiscriminate reporting and publishing of the decisions of the Courts of dernier resort in the several States, and United States,* BY AUTHORITY, AND AS AUTHORITY, has been, mainly, the producing cause of the present "uncertainty of the law;" and, that in proportion as these reports have taken the place of elementary works on the table of the student and practitioner, has their evil acted and re-acted upon, and multiplied itself.

It is true, as Jefferson says, that "error may safely be tolerated, where reason is left free to combat it;" but that is not this case. Here error is sent forth clothed with *authority* from the Courts, before which, who does not know, that *reason is too often powerless*. Error, if suffered to fall still-born from the bench, or quietly to repose in the pigeon hole with "the papers of the cases," would soon be rendered oblivious by the dust of years; but when sent forth broadcast from the press, animate with all the powers of *precedent* and *legal authority*, what wonder that the name of its progeny should be legion—that the *positive* determination of the Court, the *report*, speaking by authority, should be preferred, as a legal weapon, to the elementary treatise, modestly relying upon the *reason and fitness of things*, and that *case* lawyers and *case* judges should be taking the place of those profound jurists who drew their conclusions from that code of legal maxims which time has embodied, the experience of successive ages perfected, and the wisdom of the sages of the profession approved as "the perfection of human reason."

And is there not, in all this, a philosophy which points to, and justifies, the assumption, that the indiscriminate *reporting* and *publishing* of the decisions of the higher Courts of the country have contributed more than any other cause, to convert a shadow into a reality—to make "the uncertainty of the law" a thing to be *felt* by suitors as well as something to be mouthed by croakers? Must it not be so, when the "opinions of the Court" are based upon the ever-changing notions of policy-opinion, of necessity, as various as on the varied notions of those who dispense them?

To be sure, the different phases which progress in the march of improvement gives to communities, require a corresponding modification of the laws; and to the extent of such modification, and no further, can the publication of the decisions of Courts be beneficial. The principles of moral right, which are, *or should be*, the basis of all law, are immutable—only the conventional rules of society admit of change and improvement; and even here, until the reason of the rule cease to be reason, the rule should remain unchanged. All beyond this manifestly tends to uncertainty—to say nothing of that enormous expense imposed upon the profession, in this multiplicity of books, of which they must, of course, be possessed, and the doubt as to the law which must embarrass every lawyer who has not obtained *the last Report.*

Mr. Editor, if I am in error in this matter, let me stand corrected. And however it may be determined, as to the uncertainty of the laws, is there not evidence that the "*age of reason*" is passing away, when "the might of argument" is to be determined by comparing the number of "cases in point," on either side, which the industry of counsel has piled before the Court, as authority rather than reason?

MARSHALL.

MORE ANNEXATION.—A new treaty with Mexico—very different in every important particular from that which has been for some days pretended by a journal of this city—has actually been negotiated by Gen. Gadsden, and is now in the hands of the Cabinet. It gives us a narrow strip of territory across the North end of Mexico—hardly 30 miles wide at this end, but widening after passing out of the valley of the Rio Grande, where there is some good land that Santa Anna decided to keep. In all, we acquire a strip averaging some sixty miles in width and running across the Gulf of California, for which and the extinction of the claims of Mexico under the stipulation of the last Treaty which obligates us to pay for all the damage which Mexicans may suffer at the hands of the amiable savages we bought of her by that Treaty, we are to pay Twenty Millions! That is to say: By one Treaty we bought the Camanches and their cut-throat neighbors, and agreed to pay for what damage they might do thereafter; by the other, we pay Five Millions for the damage they have already done and Fifteen Millions more for a strip of territory over which to make a Railroad (if we please) whereby it is somehow calculated that they may be deterred from plundering Mexicans hereafter. All the territory we acquire by this new Treaty would be horribly dear at Two Millions of Dollars; but we presume "Democracy" will put it through, and that there is use in saying anything about it.—*N Y Tribune.*

A BILL to provide for the Publication of the General Statutes of each Session of the Legislature.

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, to enact as follows:

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to cause to be published in each weekly newspaper published within this State, all the public acts of general interest of each session of the legislature, as soon as may be after the passage of the same, and shall prescribe within what time said publication shall be completed within two months after the final adjournment of each session.

SEC. 2. All publishers of weekly newspapers who shall publish in their respective papers all the acts designated in the foregoing section shall be allowed thirty dollars for such entire publication, to be paid out of the State Treasury as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of State, upon receiving satisfactory evidence by affidavit, that all such laws have been published in accordance with the foregoing provisions in any weekly newspaper published within this State, shall draw an order upon the treasury in favor of the publisher of such paper for the sum before mentioned.

SEC 4. A sum of money sufficient to pay for the publication aforesaid is hereby annually appropriated for that purpose out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

A Singular Hoax.—An old soldier named Alexander, was last week arrested in Montreal on suspicion of having murdered his wife and burned her body in the stove. It was clearly proved before the inquest that he had beaten her severely on the day of her sudden disappearance, and a quantity of bones found in the stove were subjected to the professional and critical examination of *three medical gentlemen*, who unhesitatingly pronounced them human bones, and even went so far as to select and adapt each to each, thus sagaciously and scientifically a making perfect skeleton of a woman about the age of the missing wife. This done, the inquest rendered a verdict in accordance with these circumstances. To their utter consternation, however, the murdered woman now appeared in flesh, and was duly recognized by her relatives. A re-examination of the remains followed, and the skeleton, instead of being that of a woman was found to be the bones of a pig.

BENNETT, of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* tells of a couple of chaps who were lately arrested in that city for larceny, and says that in less than forty-eight hours from the time the robbery took place the parties were arrested, examined before the Police Court, indicted before the Grand Jury, tried, convicted and sentenced in the Criminal Court. At the close of the trial, one of the chaps cooly remarked to the Court that he had no particular legal objection to the verdict of the jury, but "*the indecent haste in which the matter was carried through, was a d——d outrage to his personal feelings.*" That will do.

KOSZTA.—The New York *Herald* says this person is now in that city, in a state of utter destitution. He was in like circumstances in this city a few weeks ago. What "commercial agency" could he have had in Smyrna, from this country, that could prove so profitless?—Who were his employers, and where are they? He has, of course, a right to keep his own counsels; and yet we think if he was a commercial agent, he does himself injustice by the ambiguous position in which he stands in this respect.—*National Era, Jan. 21st.*

Mrs. Frances D. Gage has recently been lecturing in Alton. In her opening address the *Courier* reports her to have said:

She had crossed the river at St. Louis on the ice, had come to Alton in a lumber wagon, and had been turned over, and down the railroad embankment, and had passed through various perils to advocate Woman's Rights at Alton, and if they would yield her the right to vote, she would vote for a railroad from here to St. Louis.

A woman at Plattsburg, Mo., took a hatchet a few days ago, and entering a place where her husband bought liquor and got drunk, split open all the barrels and kegs, and let the fiery element run out. She was accompanied by about 30 men, who wanted to see the fun, and ensure fair play.

A duel was lately fought near Pickensville, Ala., between Drs. Fant and Irby, two rival candidates for the Legislature. Dr. Irby was shot through the heart. Both gentlemen were democrats as well as members of the same church. Very remarkable church they must have in Alabama.

A young man named Philip Delannie, who was committed to jail in Provincetown, N J., in September last, eloped a few days since with his jailor's wife. The "fair" one carried off about $400 with her, and the twain are supposed to be now on their way to Europe. Love laughs at Locksmiths.

A terrible tragedy occurred at Southington, Ct., on the morning of the 20th. A Mr Amos Finch went to his daughter's chamber and cut her throat while she was sleeping, and then cut his own. Both are dead. Mr. Finch was about 50 years old, and was presumed to be insane. His daughter was 20 years old.

James B. Jenkins of Oneida Co., N. Y., a lawyer we should think, if lawyers were ever guilty of crime, was sentenced to the State Prison for five years at Albany, on Tuesday, for forging pension papers. He was convicted on his own confession, which is unlawyer like again.

Something Rare.—General Pezuela, the new Captain-General of Cuba, has declined receiving an addition of $6000 per annum to his salary, to which he is entitled as Superintendent of the Treasury of the Island, considering himself already sufficiently well paid.

CONSUMPTION OF WOOD BY LOCOMOTIVES.—The consumption of wood by the locomotives on the Michigan Central and Southern road, between Chicago and Niles and South Bend, is estimated at 80,000 cords within the past year.

Two colored women belonging to Dr. Singleton, of Halifax Co., Va., are to be hung Feb. 13th, for the murder of a female slave.

There are 1,416 physicians in the State of Massachusetts, which is one to every 787 of the inhabitants.

Later from California.

News from California to the 30th ult. has been received at New Orleans. The California mail was brought from Acapulco to Vera Cruz in fifty-two hours fourteen minutes. There were rumors of the loss of another Pacific steamer on Christmas day. It is said that the passengers and property were saved. There are rumors also, of the failure of two banking houses in San Francisco.

COTTON.—A comparative statement of the receipt of cotton at different Southern ports from the 1st Sept up to the latest advices exhibits the following facts: At New Orleans Jan 6, in '53 503,221 bales; '52, 584,5[illegible]; Mobile, same date '53, 143,141; '52, 215,[illegible]; Savannah, Jan 10, '53, 132,632; '52, 167,[illegible]; Charleston, Jan 12, '53, 165,242; '52, 179,3[illegible]. Other ports exhibit the same falling off in receipts [illegible] 1853.

WANTED—*Very Much.*—We are greatly in need of a permanently established daily mail from Milwaukee to this place.—*Beaver D[am] Republican.*

A Cool Vote.—A man went to the polls the other day, and said he wanted to vote against cold weather. The inspector told him he must use a thick *envelope* then.

Several slave hunters from Portsmouth, Va., have recently been perambulating New Bedford in quest of fugitive slaves.

M. Lugi Piani, an Italian aeronaut, was recently frozen to death in his balloon.

The Boston Post announces the arrival at the port of 270 of our foreign relations.

Douglas's Nebraska bill, without amendments, is an Administration measure. That is a fixed fact.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

THE EXCHANGE BANK—WM J BELL & CO.—Recently organized under the Banking Law of this State, is prepared to transact a GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.
Collections made in any part of the State [illegible] terms. Interest allowed on deposits.
SIGHT EXCHANGE for sale on Eastern and Southern Cities.

YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION. THE EIGHTH LECTURE of the Course will be delivered at YOUNG'S HALL, on FRIDAY EVENING, January 27th, at 8 o'clock, by WM. F. ROBINSON, Esq.
Subject—"Sources of the American [illegible]."
Tickets 25 cents—to be had at the door, and during the day (Friday) at the Library Rooms.

REMOVAL.—THE GAS OFFICE for the transaction of business, has been removed to the office under KIRBY'S STORE.
jan26 tf M. W. CLARKE, Sec'y.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—Rev. Mr. HOBART, Pastor of the Spring st. M. E. Church will preach at Young's Hall, on Sunday next at the usual hours—10 o'clock A. M., and 7½ o'clock P. M.

MILWAUKEE COMMERCIAL RECORD

Office of the Free Democrat,
MILWAUKEE, JANUARY 27, 1854.

Receipts of produce fair.

Wheat.—We hear of no sales to day at a higher [illegible] than $1 25 for white winter. [illegible] Spring 105a110.

Rye 70a72—light receipts. Oats 38a[illegible]. [illegible]

Corn—hulled, 40 41—in the ear [illegible].

Pork ranges from $4 87 a [illegible].

DEATHS

STRONG.—At Binghampton, N. Y., on the 14th [illegible], MARY MARTHA STRONG, wife of [illegible], eldest daughter of Col. John H. [illegible], [illegible]town, N. Y., aged 38 years.

"**HOT CORN.**"—The HOT CORN STORIES and a lot of other new things, [illegible] Express, at the IRVING BOOKSTORE.
jan27 [illegible]

REMOVAL.
J. H. TESCH, Druggist, has removed his stock of Drugs and Medicines to **No. 9 Spring Street**, next door to Boyd & Lindsay's, where he will be again in a few days to wait on his old customers and many new ones as will favor him with their patronage.
Milwaukee, Jan 17, 1854. [illegible]

WISCONSIN WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
1854. } [illegible] { 1854.
CROCKERY, CHINA AND GLASS HOUSE!
S. J. MATHER,
203 East Water Street, Milwaukee,
—LUDINGTON'S BLOCK—
HAS on hand, and for sale by the PACKAGE, or packed to order, a LARGE STOCK of
CROCKERY AND GLASS WARE,
AT EASTERN PRICES. ALSO
GOLD BAND AND WHITE CHINA
IN SETS, OR BY THE PIECE.
Lamps, Looking-Glasses, Table Cutlery, Gas Fixtures, &c.
Hotel Keepers, Merchants, and others will find this the BEST STOCK TO SELECT FROM IN THE STATE.
All Ware carefully packed for the Country [illegible]
jan2 S. J. MATHER, 203 East Water.

UNCLE BEN
Has opened his New Store,
And is prepared to furnish ALL who favor him with
HATS, CAPS, AND FURS,
OF ALL KINDS.
Stone, Martin, and Fitch Victorines, and Cuffs, of the latest styles. Ladies' Fur Gloves and Mitts, and [illegible] shoes.
BUFFALO ROBES.
Overshoes, Gent's Fur Gloves, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valises, and Umbrellas, at
Wholesale and Retail.
His stock has been selected with care and expressly for this market. Caps and Furs manufactured to order on short notice. Please call in and look at his stock at
THROOP & BAILEY'S,
nov6 180 East Water street.

CAUTION.
THE Public are cautioned against using Baking powders, Cream Tartar, or other Acids, for raising bread, &c., without satisfying themselves that they are pure. It is well known to the wholesale dealers in these articles that the impure article contains Alum, Lead, Lime and other injurious ingredients. Pure Baking Powders cannot be sold so as to be very profitable to wholesalers, consequently the greater their efforts to sell an impure article. The manufacturer of Reed's Baking Powder uses an article that has been analyzed and found to contain only 1 100th part of impurities, and is consequently perfectly safe. This is written merely as a caution, as the manufacturer has already more orders than he can fill. Reed's Baking Powders, pure Cream Tartar and Soda, at wholesale and retail, at 235 and 237 East Water st., Milwaukee. Orders to be filled must invariably be accompanied with the money. January, 1854. [illegible]

MILLINERY AND DRESS-MAKING!
S. A. CARROLL, No. 16 Wisconsin Street,
HAS JUST RECEIVED from New York the latest and most approved styles for Cloaks, Dresses, and Bonnets, to which she respectfully invites the attention of her numerous patrons and the ladies generally, satisfied that she can, by her earnest endeavors, please the most fastidious. A choice assortment of Feathers, Flowers, and Bonnet Silks, on hand.
S. A. CARROLL is prepared to teach the improved plan of Dress Cutting as taught by Mrs. FOWLER. For terms inquire at No. 16 Wisconsin Street.
Milwaukee, Dec 16, 1853. dec16

A. WHITTEMORE & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS,
And Manufacturers of every description of
BLANK ACCOUNT BOOKS,
No. 197 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
dec[illegible] MARTIN'S BLOCK. [illegible]

PURE VINEGAR.—The Public are cautioned against purchasing acid Vinegar. The kind commonly sold will eat up a tin measure in a short time. Cider Vinegar cannot be sold with profit for less than [illegible] a gallon. The pure stuff, manufactured from sound [illegible], for sale at (ja20) H. REED'S.

PATENT SPERM CANDLES.—Wax, Pure Sperm, Star and Tallow Candles, by the box, at (ja20) H. REED'S.

BELOW COST.—Some first quality Peach Preserves, prepared with double refined sugar and warranted clean, at (ja20) H. REED'S.

HARPER FOR JANUARY, 1854.—Just received, and for sale by
ja23 HALL & PIERCE, 183 East Water st.

PICKLES.—1,000 assorted Pickles, in brine and vinegar, at (ja20) H. REED'S.

SUGAR CURED HAMS.—Some of Atwood's nice HAMS, at (ja20) H. REED'S.

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

S. M. BOOTH, Local Editor.

...JANUARY 27

Those who want to make known what they ... to sell, to people in town or country, will advertise in the FREE DEMOCRAT, as this Paper ... an extensive circulation. Short stories, and to the point. Send in your orders before 8 a. m., ... in afternoon paper. Terms reasonable.

Copies of the Daily Free Democrat for Sale at Durrie's Bookstore, Madison.

Local, Miscellaneous, News, &c.

For Miscellany, &c., see 1st and 4th pages.

...regularity of the mails still continues ... day we get an eastern mail, while ... mail is not received scarcely so of... The eastern mail due here night ... arrived about 3 o'clock yesterday af... and no eastern mail came by the eve... on our nothing from Madison. We can't ... ghost of an excuse for such an ... management in the Madison mail ... to have to endure the inconven... Administration, as the Whig ... say.

The Lecture To-night.

... ROBINSON, Esq., of New York, the ... of the *New York Tribune*, will lec... the Young Men's Association, at ... Hall this evening, at 8 o'clock.

... ROBINSON is an Irishman by birth, a fine ... a thoroughly-pleasing gentleman. ... than this, he is an attractive speak... has an abundance of the genial humor ... His subject is "The Sour... American Population," and we great... it does not prove one of the most ... lectures of the course.

... assured that the Hall will be made ... warm this evening: so no one need ... through fear of suffering from cold.

...ITION OF THE PUPILS OF THE DEAF ... INSTITUTION.—We received a dis... Whitewater this forenoon, to the ... Mr. JENKINS was on his way to this ... some of the pupils of the Deaf and ... at Delavan, for the purpose ... exhibition. The time and place ... be announced this afternoon.

... TO WAUPUN.—Selah Mathews, con... the U. S. Court, recently, of rob... Watertown Post Office and sentenced ... imprisonment in the Waupun Pen... was taken to that place by U. S. ... day before yesterday. The ... with an apparent *sang froid* expres... countenance, and perfectly resigned ...

...PAINE ANNIVERSARY.—The Milwau... Theater Society will celebrate ... of TOM PAINE, on Saturday ... by performing *Uriel Acosta*, or ... and *Fanaticism*, at Market Hall ... cents.

... at the Police Office is at a "dead ...

... among the scoundrels, who infest ... anticipated soon ... some cold weather has probably ... them and somewhat stupified their ... propensities.

...OND WARD ORGAN.—It is reported that ... of the Second Ward School com... starting a paper soon. They don't ... behind the First Ward in enterprise.

... meeting of the Common Council last ... the semi-annual appropriation of $50 ... the Fire Companies, was passed.

... Advertisement of WM. J. BELL & CO., ... in our column.

Waukesha Car Manufactory.

MR. EDITOR: For the special benefit of the ... interests that are being almost daily ... in our beautiful and flourishing State, ... to say that there is a large and well... Car Manufactory, owned by Messrs ... & TUTTLE, now in successful operation ... healthy and beautiful village of Wauke... every variety of cars can be built, ... Freight to the beautifully-mod... Passenger Car.

While being shown through the shops by ... foremen, Messrs. BENEDICT ... I was peculiarly struck with the ... and beauty of their machinery, every ... of which seemed to carry on the face of ... evidence that business was ... with dispatch and accuracy.

... Gentlemen, you will always find ... proprietors, or their foremen, ... willing to show you all there is to be ... rest assured, you will be well paid ... trouble. JANESVILLE.

Gas Items.

... from the Annual Report of the ... and Coke Company, that during ... year there has been laid in the city 21,... of four inch, 4,299 feet of six inch, and ... feet of ten inch pipe, making in all five ... feet; and the total amount laid ... the streets of the city is thirteen ... feet, the whole cost of which has ... $40,713,03. Up to January 1st, 1853, there ... been placed, with all the necessary con... 371 meters, at a cost of $14,480 97.—During the last year, 279 have been set, at a ... of $7,313 26—making the total amount ... January 1st, 1853, there were 561 ... consumers, during the last year 279 have ... added, making a total of 840, with an ag... of 7,522 burning. There are 209 pub... lamps, weich have consumed during the year ... cubic feet.

The amount expended during the year in en... and improvements at the station, is ... 11, and the total expenditure on account ... station works to date is $135774 12. The ... amount expended for real estate to date ... been $26,105 47, of which $21,549 75 has ... expended within the last year.

The amount of coal used last year exceeds ... of the preceeding by 658 tons 1,094 lbs. In ... 8,911,100 cubic feet of gas was made, and ... the last year 14,412,380 feet, showing an in... of 5,501,980 cubic feet.

The receipts, for the year, have been as fol...

Private Consumers	$39,991 45
Public Lamps	3,963 94
Coke and Tar	2,311 59
Rent and Sundries	175 94
Making a total of	$46,442 92

This sum exceeds the receipts of the former year $16,012 64.—*Chicago Press.*

MADISON CORRESPONDENCE.

JANUARY 20, 1854.

Madison is beautiful, even amid the winter's dreariness. Many of the trees ornamenting the Capitol grounds still retain their leaves.—Mingled memories throng dimly upward as we walk slowly beneath the withered branches.

We admire Madison, but we shall always turn wearily from its beauties, for a little one, whose soul was part of ours, withered like the morning glory beneath its skies. A shadow lingers in the atmosphere here, blending fitfully with the sunshine, which will ever darken around our heart, as each familiar face, or scene, or drive, recalls the memory of the little lost one. Many kind offices have been rendered us here, which we can never forget, and the light of some few cheering faces will always fall brightly across life's pathway.

We visited the Governor's official rooms at the Capitol this morning. We had no idea that he was so handsome a man. He has a finely formed face, expressive hazel eyes, a graceful and affectionate mouth, hair somewhat gray—just enough to give character and dignity to his face. In fact, he is just the man an artist wo'd love to paint. A splendid picture he would make in India ink. He expressed great admiration of the beautiful painting of the State Banner hanging in his rooms, said he hoped the State would purchase it, and thought the artist should be liberally compensated for it. He is an admirer of fine art, and we think him a very kind and gentlemanly man. M. H. C. B.

Pencilings from the Senate Gallery.

PERSONAL SKETCHES.—NO. I

We visited the gallery of the Senate Chamber, and will give our impressions of folks and things just as we saw them.

Of the Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate, it is impossible for us to form an opinion.

The first sight worthy of note, was Senator No. 5, with his legs thrown gracefully over the desk. He has splendid hair and wears gold spectacles.

No. 4. Has a graceful beard and fine face.

No. 11. Looks as though his little grandchildren would love him dearly. How the little things would delight in searching his pockets to find the rosy apples hidden there for them. How they would love to pull off grandpapa's spectacles. They miss him sorely, poor things. Half a pound of candy, carried home at night, would have a wonderful effect on them, good No. 11.

No. 9. Ought to have his portrait painted the first thing he does. Is the Juno of the Senate.

No. 19. Religious cast of face. Will do whatever seems to him right and just.

No. 7. Full of fun and sin. A good shower-bath twice a day and Graham diet would cool him down. Ought to chop a quarter of a cord of wood every morning before breakfast.

No. 20. Pure, high-toned expression. Is possessed of great delicacy and refinement. Should almost take him for a poet.

No. 3. That man don't need a guardian. He'll look out for No. One. Likes a good joke, is cunning, and is a good specimen of the better class of "Old Fogies."

No. 17. Enjoys a regular, hearty, downright laugh. Wouldn't object to a good beefsteak. Seems hungry.

Little yellow dog running about the Senate chamber, somewhat out of his sphere. Every creature, we know, has a natural attraction towards its kind. There was another little dog there that he went to see. Seemed, like No. 17, to want something to eat.

No. 24. Honest face. Is generous. Would rather give a friend a handsome present, than receive one.

No. 25. Once President of the United States. Lives the reflected light of *posterity*.

Enters a country neighbor of one of the Senators. Sits down near the door, for fear of tracking snow on the carpet, after pulling down both sides of his overcoat, to give it a stylish air, and beckons said Senator to come to him. Senator says to No. —, beckon him, "Wonder what that fellow wants!—Pay for chopping wood, or something of the kind." "Good morning, friend," says the Senator. (Country neighbor bows)—"Your old woman," says he—(Senator gives him a punch on the arm, and looks quickly around)—"Dont hurt a feller," says country neighbor; "your old woman told me"—(Senator moves toward the door in despair) "to run in and say to you, that the baby has got another under tooth, and she wants to know whether you want the yaller shoat salted down, or sent into town to pay your board."

"Salt him down! salt him down!" says the Senator.

"And she wanted you should send her six shillings to buy Tommy a pair of shoes."

The Senator hands him five dollars, and pulls him out of the Senate Chamber, saying, "Didn't you know there was an express law in the Statute books forbidding the interruption of a Senator while about his duty?"

Country neighbor said hereafter he would wait outside, until the senate adjourned. M. H. C. B.

PERSONAL SKETCHES—NO. II.

No. 10. Father of the Liquor Dodge Bill, which evades the responsibility by referring back to the people the question which they have just decided affirmatively. Ole Bull—who enacted a Prohibitory Liquor Law for his own colony—rode twenty miles in the rain to see him.

No. 1. More interested in a pretty woman than in the business of legislation. Has the general characteristics of the Smith family—classical Smith features—and will never want for relations.

No. 5. Boots still on the desk, in the same artistic position as yesterday.

No. 2. Has a Yankee look. Thinks Brown county the Eden of Wisconsin.

No. 12. Incorrigible old bachelor. Wont be troubled with a wife in the next Congress. Thinks half the pretty girls of his acquaintance are dying for him.

No. 15. Thrifty farmer. Man of deeds rather than words. Thinks more than he talks.

No. 14. Gone home to consult his constituents on the Liquor question.

No. 18. Sitting, like No. 7, with his feet on the desk. Wishes it was dinner time.

No. 6. Slightly touched with *cacoethes loquendi*. Hopes to do honor to *himself* and his constituents.

No. 8. Has reached the summit of his ambition. Left Mount Pisgah the eighth of last November, and is now in the promised land.

No. 16. Absent on account of his health.

No. 17. Dont seem as hungry as he did. Is a kind, benevolent man, and sincere friend. Has a heart filled with genial sympathies.

No. 23. Six feet high, and harmoniously proportioned. Countenance expressive of his thoughts. More transparent than he thinks himself.

No. 13. The Nestor of the Senate. Cautious, judicious, and deferential. Would be a positive force anywhere.

No. 21. Sleeping beauty, reposing under the mantel-piece, with his knees on his desk, dreaming of broiled quail. Can dissect an argument, or a principle, with as keen a zest as a beef-steak or a plum pudding. Genial, whole souled man.

Sergeant-at-Arms. Serene, self-satisfied expression.—Genial Old Husker of the better class. Old bachelor, not quite hopeless. Fond of singing,

"There's a good time coming, boys!
Wait a little longer!"

Senator No. 19. Rejuvenated. Quite a change in the spirit of his dream to-day—so haunted with youthful visions that "the sun has gone back in the dial of Ahaz"—or at least he thinks it has—several years, and he now pronounces himself *only thirty!*

Chief Clerk. We have a kindly remembrance of him, for when we visited Shullsburgh, he gave us two luscious apples, and two large, luscious pears. We can't forget him. M. H. C. B.

PORTAGE CITY, LACROSSE AND MINNESOTA.

PERSONS wishing business done on the route to, or in the above places, can have it attended to by calling on the subscriber within a few days.
Jan. 25, 1854. (4t) GEORGE B. H. DAY.

L. F. FRISBY,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
WEST BEND, WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN.
Will attend to the payment of Taxes, and purchase and sale of Real Estate. decl4dly

LEGISLATURE OF WISCONSIN.

Members of the Senate and Assembly.

SENATE.

District.		District.	
1	H. N. Smith,	14.	Daniel Howell,
2.	Joseph F. Loy,	15	Levi Sterling,
3	A. M. Blair,	16	Nelson Dewey,
4	Baltus Mantz,	17	Ezra Miller,
5.	E. M. Hunter,	18.	Louis P. Harvey,
6.	Edward McGarry,	19.	Benjamin Allen.
7.	J. W. Cary,	20	Charles A Eldridge,
8	Levi Grant,	21.	Coles Bashford,
9	George R McLane,	22.	E. B. Bowen,
10	James D Reymert,	23	David S Vittum,
11	T. T. Whittlesey,	24	Francis H. West,
12	Eleazar Wakely,	25	John Q. Adams
13	Charles Dunn,		

ASSEMBLY.

Adams and Sauk Counties—Cyrus C. Remington
Brown, Kewaunee and Door—Francis Desnoyer.
Bad Ax and Crawford—Wm. A. Terhune
Columbia—Alexander H. Hurt
Chippewa and La Crosse—Wm. J. Gibson
Columbia—A. C. Ketchum, Alfred Topliff
Dane—C. R. Head, Sam'l H. Baker, Peter Matts, Harry Barns, Harlow S. Orton.
Dodge—R. J. Barney, George Fox, Francis McCormick, Ruel Parker, Allen H. Atwater, John W. Davis.
Fond du Lac—Martin J. Thomas, I. S. Tallmadge, Edward Boener, N. M. Donaldson.
Grant—Lewis Rood, Wm. Hull, Miles K. Young, Wm. Jeffrey, Edward Estabrook.
Green—Abner Mitchell.
Iowa—John Toay, Lemuel W. Joiner
Jefferson—Charles J. Bell, David Morrison, Darius Reed, Wm. Eustice, Theodore Bernhardt.
Kenosha—Samuel Hale, Jesse Hooker
Lafayette—Peter Parkinson, James H. Knowlton, James H. Earnest
Marquette—Samuel McCracken.
Marquette and Waushara—Archibald Nichols.
Milwaukee—Jackson Hadley, Wm. Reinhart, Edward O'Neil, Henry Beecroft, Wm. E. Webster, John Tobin, Peter Lavis, Timothy Haggarty, John Crawford.
Manitowoc—James S. Kyle
Oconto, Outagamie and Waupacca—David Scott.
Ozaukee—Fred W. Horn, Milo H. Wheedon.
Portage and Marathon—Walter D. McIndoe.
Racine—Nelson R. Norton, Charles S. Wright, John Smith, Thomas West
Richland—Nathaniel Wheeler.
Rock—John V. L. Thomas, Samuel G. Colley, David Nougle, Joseph Spaulding
Sheboygan—Adolphus Rosenthal, John Mattes.
St. Croix, Lapointe, &c.—Wm. M. Torbert.
Walworth—Simeon W. Spafford, Wm. P. Allen, P. W. Lake, Andrew Whiting, O. F. Bartlett.
Washington—Adam Schantz, Philip Zimmermann.
Waukesha—Dennis Worthington, Chauncey H. Purple, Edward Lees, Jesse Smith
Winnebago—Corydon L. Rich, George Gary

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Money loaned to our customers IN ANY sums, and for any time, from one to ninety days.

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Eastern and Southern sight and time Exchange always for sale, in sums to suit. Sept 1st, 1853. (dac)

RATES OF EXCHANGE REDUCED!

STATE BANK OF WISCONSIN, MILWAUKEE, 16th of August, 1853.

THIS BANK will, after this date, sell Exchange on New York and Boston, at the following rates:

For bills of the Banks in Milwaukee, Chicago, Detroit, New York and New England, and Coin, ½ per cent premium.

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Sterling Bills on London, from £1 upward, constantly on hand and for sale at reasonable rates.
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Six per cent. p. a. interest allowed on deposits made for one month and longer.

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(Signed) ALEX MITCHELL, Pres't,
M. L. SCOTT, Cashier
MARSHALL & ILSLEY.
WM. J. BELL, Pres't.
C. D. NASH, Cash'r.
KNEELAND & HULL
dec13dnw2m G. PAPENDIEK & CO.

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE LA CROSSE AND M. R. R. Co., Milwaukee, Dec. 23, 1853.

THE NEXT ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS of the La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad Company, for the Election of thirteen Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the American House, in the town of Fox Lake, on Wednesday, the 1st day of February next. The Poll will open at ten o'clock A. M., and close at four P. M.

By order of the Board of Directors in special session at this date.
dec24td LEVI BURNELL, Secretary.

STAGES LEAVE MILWAUKEE

FOR CHICAGO, every morning at 7½ o'clock, for Sheboygan every day, (except Sunday,) at 4 o'clock, A. M.

Also, for Watertown, from the Forest House, in connection with the Railroad, at 8½ A. M.

Also, for Madison every day, (except Sunday,) in connection with the Railroad at Stoughton.
jan2 FRINK & CO

PRINTING PRESSES FOR SALE.

Having purchased a Power Press, to be delivered on the opening of navigation, the subscriber offers for sale his Madison Press, No. 6—size of Platen 26 by 40 inches—on which the Weekly Free Democrat is now printed. This press is in good order, and will be sold at a bargain. Also, a Washington Press, Medium size, as good as new.

Also, about 200 lbs. Nonpareil, as good as new, which will be sold cheap. S. M. BOOTH.

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NEW SONGS.

We are Coming, Sister Mary, Mary Astore, Spring-time the Heart, Kitty Crowe, The Wind is a Bachelor, Lily Bell, Cleon and I, Go and ask my Mother, Guardian Spirits, Katy-did Song, Always with me, When other Friends are round thee, Wert thou to speak farewell, Childhood's Dreams, Take me home, &c., &c.

NEW WALTZES, POLKAS, &c.

Catawba Waltz, Chimes Polka, My old Kentucky home, with variations, Banjo Dance by Gottschalk, Marie Polka, Musical Rockets by Strakosch, Ravel Schottisch, Express Gallop, Morning Glory Polka, Fari Polka, Gipsey Girl's Dream Waltz, Fascination Waltz, Honeymoon Schottish, &c., &c.

All of Jullien's celebrated Musical Compositions, as performed by his Grand Orchestra at Castle Garden.

New Music received as soon as published.

Orders from the country promptly attended to.

Agency for Boardman & Gray's celebrated Piano Fortes, with the Dolce Campana Attachment. dec19

MEDICAL NOTICE.

THE MILWAUKEE AND WAUKESHA CO. MEDICAL SOCIETY hold their Annual Meetings on the second Tuesday of November of each year, and their Semi-Annual Meetings on the first Tuesday of May, at the United States Hotel, in the city of Milwaukee. The officers of the Society are as follows:

Dr. GILBERT WRIGHT, of Waukesha, President.
Dr. J. K. BARTLETT, of Milwaukee, Vice-President.
Dr. J. B. DALBY, Jr., of Milwaukee, Treasurer and Secretary.

Drs. DOUGHAM, SHERMAN and HALLWORTH, of Milwaukee, Censors.

Applications for Membership may be made to the Censors. GILBERT WRIGHT, President.
J. B. DALBY, Jr., Secretary.

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WHAT IS NICER than a Fine Turkey Morocco Portfolio, with three compartments, for a present? We have on hand a splendid assortment, comprising every variety and style, from Fifty Cents each to Ten and Twelve Dollars. No charge for stamping them at
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MONTHLY CALENDAR.

1854.............JANUARY.............1854.

Days of the Month and Week.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	Days of the Month and Week.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.
1..SUNDAY	7 30	4 38	17..Tuesday	7 26	4 55
2..Monday	7 30	4 39	18..Wednesday	7 26	4 56
3..Tuesday	7 30	4 40	19..Thursday	7 25	4 58
4..Wednesday	7 30	4 41	20..Friday	7 24	4 59
5..Thursday	7 30	4 42	21..Saturday	7 24	5 0
6..Friday	7 29	4 43	22. SUNDAY	7 23	5 1
7. Saturday	7 29	4 44	23 Monday	7 22	5 3
8..SUNDAY	7 29	4 45	24..Tuesday	7 22	5 4
9..Monday	7 29	4 46	25. Wednesday	7 21	5 5
10..Tuesday	7 29	4 47	26..Thursday	7 20	5 6
11..Wednesday	7 29	4 48	27..Friday	7 19	5 8
12..Thursday	7 28	4 50	28 .Saturday	7 18	5 9
13..Friday	7 28	4 51	29..SUNDAY	7 17	5 10
14..Saturday	7 28	4 52	30..Monday	7 16	5 12
15..SUNDAY	7 27	4 53	31 Tuesday	7 15	5 13
16 .Monday	7 27	4 54			

NOTICE.—THE PROBATE OFFICE will be kept in BIRCHARD'S BLOCK, front room, second story, on the southwest corner of Spring and West Water streets. CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.
Milwaukee, Jan. 2d, 1854. 15d3m

Marshal's Notice.

ALL PERSONS are hereby notified that unless the sidewalks in front of their premises are cleaned of the snow before eleven o'clock in the morning, they will be proceeded against and fined, according to the ordinance regulating the cleaning of streets and sidewalks.
j21 T. O'BRIEN, Marshal.

J. CROUCH,

UNDERTAKER, would respectfully inform the public that he has removed his COFFIN WARE ROOMS to the Store on Spring Street, *next to G. F. Oakley's Livery Stable*, where he is ready to attend to all orders which may be left, either at his Store, or at the Furniture Ware Rooms of J. F. Birchard.

Interments procured in any of the Cemeteries in or about the city. jan17 dtf

MILWAUKEE, FOND DU LAC AND GREEN BAY RAILROAD COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders in the Milwaukee, Fond du Lac and Green Bay Railroad Company, that an installment of Five Per Cent on the Subscriptions to the Capital Stock of said Company has been called, payable to the Treasurer thereof, on or before the 10th day of February, 1854.

By order of the Board of Directors.
I. N. MASON, Secretary.
Milwaukee, January 6th, 1854.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

OUR BILLS will be presented for payment on or as near the first days of each month as we can get around. After which we shall require all bills to be paid at our office, (during business hours,) within three days from the time the Bill is left, or the discount of 25 cents per thousand feet, for prompt payment, will not be made, and if not paid within 10 days, the flow of Gas will be stopped. The above Rules will be strictly adhered to, without any distinctions. M. W. CLARKE,
dec10d1m Sec'y and Sup't of the Mil Gas Light Co.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.—Notice is hereby given, to all persons interested, that I shall conclude the sale of all lots, parts of lots, and tracts of land, in the City of Milwaukee, on which the taxes and assessments remain unpaid for the year 1853—First Ward, Friday, 20th inst., Second Ward, Saturday, 21st inst., Third Ward, Monday, 23d inst., Fourth Ward, Tuesday, 24th inst.; and Fifth Ward, Wednesday, 25th inst. The sale to commence at ten o'clock each day.
A. H. JOHNSTON, City Treasurer.
Milwaukee, Jan 17th, 1854. dtj26

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

OFFICE OF THE LA CROSSE & MIL. R. R. Co., MILWAUKEE, January 19, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following additional installments are required to be paid on all subscriptions to the Capital Stock of the La Crosse & Milwaukee Railroad Company, viz: Ten per centum of the amount of all Stock subscribed by persons residing east of Wisconsin River, payable on the first day of February next; and Ten per cent. on all such Stock, payable on the first day of June next. Also, on all Stock subscribed by persons residing west of Wisconsin River, the following installments, viz: Five per cent. payable on the first day of March next, Five per cent. payable on the first day of June next, and Ten per cent. payable on the first day of October next. The said payments to be made at the office of the Treasurer of the Company, in the city of Milwaukee. By order of the Board of Directors.
jan21 d2tawawtoct1 LEVI BURNELL, Sec'y.

ELECTION NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Green Bay, Milwaukee & Chicago Railroad Company, for the election of nine Directors, will be held at the Office of the Company, in the City of Milwaukee, on Wednesday, the 8th of February, A. D. 1853, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of the Board of Directors.
jan7 td C. R. ALTON, Secretary.

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COKE! COKE! COKE!

ANY quantity for sale at the Milwaukee Gas Works, which we will sell at the reduced price of 10 cents per bushel up to the first of January next. All who want the article had better procure their winter supply immediately, as it is cheaper than wood at the reduced price.
dec17 M. W. CLARKE, Sec'y & Sup't.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.—This Office will open at 8 A. M. and close at 9 P. M., from and after this date until further notice.
J. A. NOONAN, P. M.
November 21, 1853. n19tf

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Mantles—In Statuary, Pyrenian, Lisbon, Irish, Brocatelle and Sienna Marble, many of which are richly carved and from the most beautiful designs.

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Garden Statuary—Urns, Fountains, &c., furnished to order.

Builder's Materials—Builders supplied with every description of Work in Brown Stone, and on short notice.

Carving and Ornamental Work—In every style and by superior workmen.

The additional facilities afforded by Steam Power and Machinery for sawing and polishing stone, enable us to produce the most perfect work, and in the shortest possible time. j8dtf

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He has also a Stock of Cutlery on the way, which will arrive in about two weeks.

Call and examine for yourselves.
dec17 dactf J. HARDY.

CHOCOLATE, COCOA AND BROMA.

W. BAKER & CO.'s American and Vanilla Premium Chocolate, Cocoa and Broma, to which first premiums have been awarded by the chief Institutes and Fairs of the Union, are for sale by all the principal Grocers in the United States, and by their agents:—Hussey & Murray, New York; Grant & Twells, Philadelphia; Thos. V. Brundige, Baltimore; Kennett & Dudley, Cincinnati, Ohio. WALTER BAKER & Co. March 21, 1853. apr5-dlyris Dorchester, Mass.

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Groceries, Vegetables, Poultry, Game, &c.

The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. dec8

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Legislative Proceedings.

MADISON, Jan. 25.

SENATE, 10 A. M.—*Petitions, &c.*—By Mr. West, for change of system of County Government.

By Mr. McLane, account of Wm. E. Cramer.

By Mr. Cary, memorial for exemption of Plank Road from taxes.

Bills Introduced.—By Mr. ——, amending charter of Winnebago Lake and Fox River Plank Road Co.

By Mr. Adams, in relation to Wisconsin St in Portage City.

Committee on printing submitted majority and minority report as to ordering documents of papers in foreign languages. The majority report in favor, was adopted 14 to 8.

Bills Passed—Amending chap. 27 R. S.
Providing for purchase of State Banner
Extending time for taxes in Madison
Authorizing collection of tax in Watertown.
Authorizing town clerk to certify to school tax, &c.

Appropriating to James Morrison, late Treasurer of territory. Adjourned.

ASSEMBLY, 10 A. M.—Leave of absence was granted to six members.

Petitions—By Mr. Worthington, for amendment to school law.

By Mr. Knowlton, account of John Crawford.

By Mr. Hale, for repeal of small bill law.

Sundry other acts were presented.

Joint resolution for committee to visit State Prison of Wisconsin, at Waupun, concurred in and Messrs. Lees, West and J. Thomas appointed.

Resolution by Mr. Joiner for publication of assessment laws was presented and lies over.

Resolution calling on Attorney General for his opinion as to whether murder is a bailable offence adopted.

Resolution ordering 5000 copies of State Superintendent's report was discussed and laid on the table.

Bills Introduced—By Mr. Reinhardt, amending Milwaukee charter.

By Mr. Ketchum, amending chap. 25 S, laws 1850.

By Mr. Matts, prohibiting the taking of illegal fees.

Bernhardt, amending charter of Watertown and Waterloo Plank Road Co.

By Mr. Barnes extending time for taxes in Madison—passed.

Bill amending charter of Kenosha and Beloit R. R. Co.—passed.

Amending Charter of Racine and Mississippi R. R. Co., was referred to delegates from Rock Walworth and Racine counties.

The usual number of copies of State Prison Commissioners, report were ordered printed.

Report of committee on State affairs, as to newspapers, expense, &c. was taken up and occupied the rest of the morning with a spicy debate. Adjourned to 3 P. M.

ASSEMBLY, 3 P. M.—The Assembly refused by vote of 20 to 42 to instruct committee to bring in bill against taking newspapers. Also refused to adopt sentiments of report of select committee 30 to 40, and the subject was postponed for 3 weeks.

Bills Passed.—Providing circulation of state authorized Bank paper.
Charter of Madison Hydraulic Co.
Amending chapter 27 R. S.
Appropriating $200 to T. Lund for a State Banner.

Capital punishment bill was taken up in com., but returned to file.

After some time spent in committee of the whole, the following bills were ordered engrossed:
Charter of Badger Mining Co.
Charter of 2nd Ward Cemetery Association Milwaukee.
Amending chap. 134, R. S.
Amending sec. 5, chap. 68, R. S.
Charter of Prairie du Chien Academy.
Relative to election and qualifications of Justices.

The claim of S. S. Conover was discussed at length, but no question taken—adjourned.

No Eastern mail yet.—*Sentinel.*

Execution of Warren Wood.

CATSKILL, January 20.—Warren Wood, the murderer of Williams, the peddler, was hung in the jail-yard here to-day, at a quarter before 1 o'clock. He made a long address, in which he charged some of the witnesses with perjury.—He confessed that he shot Williams, but protested that he did not know what he was doing at the time. After the address, he prayed fervently for several minutes. Religious services were then performed by the Rev. Mr. Noble of the Episcopal, and the Rev. Mr. Hall of the Methodist Church. The Sheriff then pulled the cord, and the unfortunate man was launched into eternity. He struggled slightly, but was pronounced dead in about ten minutes.

Terrible Tragedy.

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 20.—A terrible tragedy occurred in Southington, on the line of the Canal Railroad, this morning. A Mr. Amon Finch, 50 years of age, went to his daughter's chamber and cut her throat while she was asleep in bed; he then cut his own throat, and both are dead. The daughter, who was 20 years of age, was an idiot, and Mr. Finch, it is also thought, was insane.

Destructive Fire.

OGDENSBURGH, Jan. 20.—The large factory on the west side of Oswegatchie River, owned by G. C. Judson, and occupied by O. S. Cummings, builder of planing machines; Gibson & Tiler, furniture manufacturers, and Thompson & Perry, joiners, was destroyed by fire last night. The total loss is upward of $10,000, and is covered by insurance.

HALIFAX, Jan. 20.—It is reported that the brig Mary Jane, bound from Dublin for New York, with passengers, has gone ashore near Jedore Ledges, and that out of 150 souls on board, only 6 were saved.

The rumor wants confirmation.

Holloway's Pills, *a Certain Cure for Derangements of the Stomach and Bowels, Liver Complaints, Loss of Appetite and Biliousness.*—These Pills have a wonderful effect upon a disorganized system; immediately they are taken by the Patient, they act so directly upon the human frame, that the most disordered or impure blood becomes changed. Persons who use them for a few weeks, cannot fail to be thoroughly cleansed; they cause the appetite, however impaired, to become good, and those who are affected with disagreeable or offensive breath, cannot do better than avail themselves of these invaluable Pills.
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To be had, wholesale and retail, at Bosworth & Sons, Johnson's, Clarke's, Tesch's, Fess', Green & Button's, Orton's, and all Druggists of Milwaukee. ja15d6w*

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A MOST ASTOUNDING CURE OF SCROFULOUS ULCERS.—A Case Certified by the Mayor of Boston, England.

Copy of a Letter from J. Noble, Esq., Mayor of Boston, Lincolnshire.

To Professor HOLLOWAY—

Dear Sir: Mrs. Sarah Dixon of Liquorpond-street, Boston, has this day deposed before me that for a considerable period she was severely afflicted with Scrofulous Sores and Ulcers in her arms, feet, legs, and other parts of her body; and although the first of medical advice was obtained, at the cost of a large sum of money, she obtained no abatement of suffering, but gradually grew worse.

Being recommended by a friend to try your Ointment, she procured a small pot, and a box of the Pills, and before that was all used, symptoms of amendment appeared. By persevering with the medicines for a short time longer according to the directions, and strictly adhering to your rules as to diet, &c., she was perfectly cured, and now enjoys the best of health.

I remain, dear sir, yours truly,
Dated August 12, 1853. (Signed) J. NOBLE.

AN EXTRAORDINARY AND RAPID CURE OF ERYSIPELAS IN THE LEG, AFTER MEDICAL AID HAD FAILED.

Copy of a letter from Mrs. Elizabeth Yeates, of the Post-office, Aldwick Road, near Bognor, Sussex, dated Jan. 12, 1853.

To Professor HOLLOWAY—

Sir: I suffered for a considerable period from a severe attack of Erysipelas, which at length settled in my leg, and resisted all medical treatment. My sufferings were very great, and I quite despaired of any permanent amendment, when I was advised to have recourse to your Ointment and Pills. I did so without delay, and am happy to say the result was eminently successful, for they effected a radical cure of my leg, and restored me to the enjoyment of health. I shall ever speak with the utmost confidence of your medicines, and have recommended them to others in this neighborhood similarly afflicted, who derived equal benefit.

I am, Sir, your obliged and faithful servant,
(Signed) ELIZABETH YEATES.

The Pills should be used conjointly with the Ointment in most of the following cases:—

Bad Legs	Chiego-foot	Fistulas	Sore throats
Bad Breasts	Chilblains	Gout	Skin diseases
Burns	Chapp'd hands	Glandular	Scurvy
Bunions	Corns (Soft)	swellings	Sore heads
Bite of Mosquitoes and Sand Flies	Cancers	Lumbago	Tumors
	Contracted & stiff joints	Piles	Ulcers
		Rheumatism	Wounds
Coco-bay	Elephantiasis	Scalds	Yaws
	Sore Nipples		

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Capitalists and Emigrants seeking investments, are invited to inspect a new map of Southern Wisconsin, on a scale larger than any other map in the State, showing the Prairies, Openings, Roads, &c. Also a large Map of the State, a County Map on a very large scale, showing the Roads, &c., a set of Ward Maps, each 6x9 ft., and numerous other Maps, Plats, Government surveys, &c.

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WITHIN the whole range of articles designed for GIFTS what can possibly be more appropriate under all circumstances than a

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One significant of sound sense and good taste in the giver, and a high compliment to the intelligence of the recipient.

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Fancy and Toy Boxes, of various patterns and qualities.

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Gold Pencils, from ONE to THREE dollars each.

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I would recommend for Holiday Gifts, my most exquisite stock of GERMAN LITERATURE. I only mention here—

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[illegible]
Tales of Grimm, Claudius, and of many others, too numerous to enumerate [illegible] make the scholar acquainted with the [illegible] beauty and spirit of this language.
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Mr. Lee sprang from his chair, and, seizing his daughter by both hands, exclaimed—

"Hatty Lee! I am proud of you!"

"Oh, not that, dear father; fold me once to your heart, and say—'Hatty, I love you.'"

Her head sunk upon his shoulder, and the old man read his child's heart at last, he has it all, all her childish happiness, and as he kissed her cheek and lips, said in a choking voice—

"Forgive your old father, Hatty."

Her hand was laid upon his, while smiles and tears chased over her face, like sunshine and shadows over an April sky.

Oh! what is fame to woman? Like the "apples of the Dead Sea, fair to the sight, ashes to the touch." From the depths of her unsatisfied heart cometh ever a voice which will not be hushed. Oh! take it back—*only give me love.*
—*Fanny Fern.*

THE HOMESTEAD.

BY LADY SPENCER.

It is not as it used to be,
When you and I were young,
When round each elm and maple tree
The honeysuckle clung;
But still I love the cottage where
I passed my early years,
Though not a single face is there
That memory endears.

It is not as it used to be!
The mosses on the roof,
And from their nests beneath the eaves
The swallows kept aloof.
The robins—how they used to sing
When you and I were young,
And how did flit the wild bee's wing
The opening flowers among!

It is not as it used to be!
The voices loved of yore,
And the forms that we were wont to see
We see and hear no more.
No more! Alas! we look in vain,
For those to whom we clung,
And loved as we can love but once,
When you and I were young.

Cott.—Faith beholds God, devotion cleaves to him, love enjoys him, obedience serves him.

According to the articles of war, it is death to stop a cannon ball.

The only deadly enemy of an honest heart is credulity.

Men's arguments often prove nothing but their wishes.

The best of men are but men at the best.

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of the Greatest Bargains in Dry Goods, ever offered in this City!

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Is daily receiving hundreds of ladies, from all parts of the City and Country, to purchase

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New and Elegant Fall Dress Goods, ... all ... the most *beautiful* ... from ... Black Silks ... from shillings ... to costly.

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the best French styles, and which were bought three months ... they ... at our Lowest Mark ... direct from France, at prices below their value.

White ... and ... at ... low prices.

Fancy Goods of Various Kinds,

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Gingham ... Calicoes, in an endless variety and most beautiful styles, from 6½ cts upward.

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as Linen and Cotton Sheetings, Shirtings, Table Damasks, Napkins, Towels, Towelings and Crashes, Diapers, and in fact everything in Dry Goods suitable for a

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as low as they can be bought at the most celebrated cheap stores in New York or Boston.

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which they ... at prices so low as to give general satisfaction. Among which are

10 pieces ... Merinoes, all colors and prices.
... do ...
10 do ... Merinoes, all wool,
30 do Muslin de Laines,
300 do ... per yard,
20 do ... and Twilled Flannels,
... do White ... do
... Woolen Shawls
... Sheetings
... do ...
... cases Striped Shirting,
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And ... kind of Dry Goods ... all of which ... for Cash or on short time.

We say we CAN and WILL sell as CHEAP as the CHEAPEST, and at ONE PRICE, and One Price only. Call and examine for yourselves.

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A FULL ASSORTMENT OF GROCERIES!

AT WHOLESALE OR RETAIL,

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Fine Teas and Coffees, Sugars of all grades, Spices, Jellies, Preserves, Extracts, Pickles, Catsups, and, in fact, ALL the little articles that go to make up a full assortment. Also on hand, at all times,

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WHITE FISH, SALT, BUCKWHEAT AND RYE FLOUR, INDIAN MEAL, &c., &c., &c.

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Mantillas,	Hosiery,
Dress Goods,	Worsted Goods, &c.,

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Lace and Muslin Embroidered Capes, Berthes, Lace Points, Valenciennes, Honiton, Maltese, Malines, English Thread and Muslin Collars, Undersleeves, Muslin and Cambric Bands, rich embroidered and plain Linen Cambric Hdkfs, with a great variety of Fine Needlework and Laces, all at low prices.

RICH DRESS GOODS,

Rich Plaid Garnachan and Brocade Silks, elegant high color ... and black, plain and figured, Canton Dress Crape, Merino Plaids, Fine ... de Picardies, Imperial French Merinos, Cashmeres and De Laines, with a beautiful assortment of Evening Dress Goods.

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Plain and Watered Black Silks, which have gained the reputation of being the most perfect Silks to wear, having ... softness and beautiful lustre.

MOURNING GOODS.

Plain and Watered Black Garnadines, Barèges, Tissues, ... Lupins Bombazines, Canton Cloths, Silk Warp Alpacas, Black Canton Crapes, India Black and White Silks, English Crapes, and all the numerous articles required in mourning.

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Elegant New Style Cloaks, Shawls and Mantillas, Embroidered Lace Opera Mantillas, Lace and Silk, Ladies' Cloths and ... Silk Velvets for Talmas and Cloaks.

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Ladies ... always find at this establishment, the **Largest Variety** and most desirable styles in English, French and German Ladies', Gent's and Children's Hose.

Alexandre's and Bowen & McNamee's Extra best Light and Dark Kid Gloves. Silk, Lisle Thread, Black Silk Gloves and Mitts for Ladies and Children.

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Ladies can always find the finest and most select quality of superfine *Red Welsh* Gauze, Silk and Saxony, white and colored, 4-4 and 5-4 widths. Colored Royal, Silk ... flannels for Ladies' Sacks.

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Linens ... manufacture—Richardson's ... best qualities, and ... the pure genuine article, comprising ... Pillow case do, 8-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Linen Sheetings. Superior Table Damask and Cloths, 8, 10 and 12 ... white and brown, also ... Cottons and Pillow Case. Huck back Crash, brown and bleached, Scotch, Russia and ... Diaper and Toweling, brown and ... Doilies and Napkins, Piano and Table Covers, ... Worsted Cotton, Worsted Damask and Watered Moreens, Turkey Red plain and printed Curtain Damask, 10-4, 12-4 Counterpanes and Quilts, ... and Tassels, Buff Linens 4-4 and 5-4 for Window Shades. It is the ... to keep a full assortment of the numerous articles required in his line of Housekeeping Goods.

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This department will be continually supplied with the best quality and styles of brown and bleached Shirtings, Sheetings, Stripes, Denims, ... Drills, Apron Checks, Nankeens, Drills, Tickings, Flannels, Cotton Yarn and Warp, Batting, Wadding, &c., with a great variety and styles of

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Also a LARGE STOCK of

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Tapestry, Velvet, Brussels, Three Ply, Ingrain, Three Ply ... Carpets ... and ... Mattings, Floor Oil Cloths, all widths. The Medal Prize Pattern from the World's Fair ... at

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5 cases Sheep's Gray cloth,
10 do Sattinetts, all qualities,
10 do Kentucky Jeans,
6 do Plaid and Plain Linseys,
4 do Red twilled flannels,
1 do Red plain do
6 do White, yellow and green flannels,
7 bales brown sheetings,
20 do black and white waddings,
20 do cotton wick,
2 do twine,
5 do colored carpet yarn,
10 do marlboro's stripes,
15 do tickings,
2 cases FANCY CASSIMERES,
2 do BLACK do
60 Woolen Long and Square Shawls,
2 cases BLACK BROADCLOTHS,
150 pieces Irish Linens,
100 do crash do
125 do muslin de laines,
175 do Scotch diapers,
5 cases black and colored cambrics,
1 do Silesias,
10 do bleached cottons,
20 do best colored prints,
3 do Scotch and American ginghams,
5 do black and colored alpaccas,
2 do tweeds,
6 do cotton flannels.

Also, Bard, Book and Swiss Mulls, Jaconet Cambrics, Buttons, Thread, Hooks and Eyes, Suspenders, Buck Mitts and Gloves, Pins, Needles, and Whalebones, and every other article kept by country merchants.
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oc18 tf JAMES HOLTON & CO

ROWE & CO.'S OYSTER DEPOT,

BASEMENT OF PHOENIX BUILDING, DIRECTLY UNDER THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

The Subscribers are Sole Agents for this City and State for the sale of the *famous Oysters of Rowe & Co.*, of New Haven, Conn., and intend keeping a full supply. Those in want of large or small quantities, may be sure to find them here, warranted in good order, as we receive shipments direct from head quarters, every other day.

☞ Remember, that while those Oysters are warranted to be as good as the best, they are to be sold as cheap as the cheapest.

☞ Country dealers and teamsters are particularly invited to give us a call. KENNEDY & BELDEN.
Milwaukee, Dec. 14, 1853. dec16dtf

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DONT FORGET THE BOOKSTORES, when you are looking up Presents, for they all have made ample preparation to accommodate the public, especially at A. Whittemore & Co.'s. They have samples of the best, most beautiful and choice works issued during the last year, and offer them at low figures, to enable all to make somebody a present. Call at
dec23 A. WHITTEMORE & CO.'S,
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P. W. BADGLEY & CO. have now in store 200 hhds. New Crop Sugars, just received direct from New Orleans, which they are prepared to sell at low figures.
P. W. BADGLEY & CO.,
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A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BOOKS, &c., suitable for the Holidays, such as the Poets in Elegant Antique Binding, a great variety of Popular Books and Annuals, in extra bindings; Bibles, Prayer Books, Portfolios, Writing Desks, Work-Boxes, Papier Mache and Dressing Cases, Portfolios, Pearl, Ivory and Morocco Port Monnaies, Gold Pens and Gold Cases, &c., &c., may be found at 165 East Water-St. [dec22] HALL & PIERCE.

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CIRCULAR
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New and Important Arrangement, ensuring Speed and Comfort to those who favor this line with their patronage.

Three Trains Daily—Sundays Excepted.

1st **Lightning Express,** leaves Chicago at 6 A. M., connecting at Cleveland at 7½ P. M., with those new and splendid steamers, CRESCENT CITY and QUEEN OF THE WEST, direct for Buffalo—connecting also at Sandusky with those new and splendid steamers, MISSISSIPPI and ST. LAWRENCE, at 4½ A. M., for Buffalo direct, arriving in time for the early morning trains east.

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Ten hours less time than by any other R. R. or Lake Route.

Distance by Mich. Central R. R. and Lakes to Buffalo,	549 miles
Distance by Mich. Southern R. R.,	485 "
In favor of the route by this line	64 "

Northern Indiana, - - Capt. T. T. Pheatt,
Leaves Toledo and Monroe, Tuesdays and Fridays.
Leaves Buffalo, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

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Leaves Toledo and Monroe, Mondays and Thursdays.
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Leaves Toledo and Monroe, Wednesdays and Saturdays.
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☞ Besides the above Boat connections, which this Line offers, there are Three Daily Railroad connections to all important points throughout the Eastern and Middle States.

Such facilities have never before been offered to the Traveling Public, comprising the entire fleet of new steamers on Lake Erie, built with all the modern improvements, with a view to Speed, Safety and Comfort, superior to any steamers afloat in the world.

Only one Train on Sunday—leaves at 8 1-2 o'clock P. M.

☞ Railroad time is 15 minutes faster than Chicago time.

☞ Passengers are particularly requested to procure Tickets before taking the boat.

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sept7 WM. BROWN, Jr., Agent.

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1853.
CLEMENT'S LINE OF
UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS

TRAVELER, - - Capt. C. R. Cooper,
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WILL form a daily line between CHICAGO, WAUKEGAN, KENOSHA, RACINE, MILWAUKIE and SHEBOYGAN, for the season of 1853, and will run in connection with the MICHIGAN SOUTHERN & NORTHERN INDIANA, and MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROADS.

The proprietor offers to the public the above first class Low Pressure Steamers, believing they will make a prompt safe and reliable line. They are fitted up in conformity with the new U. S. law regulating steamers, and the public are assured that the internal police arrangements have been made with reference to the comfort of passengers.

To Shippers they offer (goods to form a daily communication) ... the agent at ... is ready, upon proper proof being furnished, to pay promptly for any loss or damage sustained by property while in the possession of this line of Steamers.

N. B.—No Through Tickets sold on the Boats.
S. CLEMENT, Proprietor.
may11 KELLOGG & STRONG, Agents.

1853. FALL TRADE. 1853.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!
AT THE HARDWARE STORE OF
A. K. WILLIAMS,
25 Spring street, 1st door East of American House,
WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

A. K. WILLIAMS is now receiving and opening his Fall Stock of Goods, at No. 25 Spring street, where the Public can always find a general and complete assortment of Builders' Hardware, Cutlery, Carpenters', Coopers' and Blacksmiths' Tools, Files, Iron, Nails, Glass, Sash, &c. &c., which he will sell, at wholesale or retail, as low as the lowest. ☞ Call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Carpenters

Can be furnished with Planes, Saws, Hatchets, Hammers, Augers, Levels, Bevels, &c., besides a general assortment of HOUSE TRIMMINGS.

Blacksmiths and Waggon Makers,

With Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Springs, Axles, Hammers, Files, Chisels, Rimmers, &c.

Coopers,

With Knives, Truss Hoops, Adzes, Shaves, Howels, &c.

Farmers,

Will find a complete assortment of Farming Utensils.

Everybody else,

"and the rest of mankind," can be accommodated with Nails, Sash, Shovels, Spades, Picks, Crow Bars, Axes and Springs, two, three and four tined Forks, Coil, Ox and Log Chains, Chain and Cast Pumps, Curry-combs and Cards, Horse and Paint Brushes. Also an assortment of Enamelled and Tin Sauce Pans and Kettles, Shovels and Tongs, Fire Setts and Standards, Trays, Waiters in setts, Brass and Pillar Candlesticks, Brass and Glass Curtain Pins and Bands, &c., &c.
Milwaukee, October, 1853.

Eagle Steam Power Foundery,
WEST WATER STREET,
Milwaukee, - - - - Wisconsin,
TURTON & BERCOMB, Proprietors,

RESPECTFULLY beg to inform their friends and the public generally, that they continue to manufacture all kinds of

Engines, Cast & Wrought Iron Works,

for Grist and Saw Mills. Also, all kinds of Machinery, at their well known establishment, Nos. 298 & 300 West Water Street.

They are themselves both practical mechanics, the one a pattern maker of twenty years' experience, the other a moulder of thirty years' experience. They likewise employ none but the very best workmen that can be obtained.

Their stock of patterns cannot be equalled—they have all been made in this city, expressly for the wants of this State—and they can and will do better than any similar establishment in this State, and on the shortest notice.

☞ They respectfully call the attention of the public to their ENGINE DEPARTMENT.
THOMAS TURTON, JOHN BERCOMB.
October 4, 1853.

GREAT ATTRACTION, AT OTT'S BOOKSTORE
No. 275 East Water street, Milwaukee.

The subscriber has just received, direct from Germany and France, the largest and choicest collection of Fancy Goods of every variety, ever imported into this city, including the following, viz:

Toys, Portfolios, Monnies, Purses, Jewelries, &c.

Thus affording the citizens of Milwaukee and vicinity an opportunity of selecting from an extensive stock. All the articles will be sold at the lowest possible prices for cash.

The public are respectfully invited to call, that seeing they can judge for themselves. C. OTT,
may1 Importer of Fancy Goods and Toys.

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
MILWAUKEE COUNTY, }
PROBATE OFFICE, Jan. 20, A. D. 1854.

IN the matter of the proof and probate of the last Will and Testament of JAMES MURPHY deceased, late of the county of Milwaukee.

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of James Murphy, deceased, late of the county of Milwaukee, has been filed in this office; and whereas application has been made by Stephen Murphy, praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate according to the laws of this State, therefore it is ordered that said application be heard before me, at my office in the city of Milwaukee, in said county, on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1854, at 10 o'clock A. M. And it is further ordered, that notice shall be given to all persons interested in said will at the time and place of said hearing, by publication in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said city, for three successive weeks, once each week, prior to the time of such hearing. By the Court:
ja24d&law CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.

Attachment Suit.

John Brennan, } Before Justice Wm. Holland.
vs. } City and County of Milwaukee,
Simon Levy. } ... In Attachment.

TO SIMON LEVY:

You are hereby notified that a writ of attachment has been issued against you, and your property attached, to satisfy the demand of John Brennan, amounting to Thirty-four dollars and Twenty-nine cents.

Now unless you shall appear before William Holland, a Justice of the Peace, in and for said county, at his office in the city of Milwaukee, on the ninth day of ..., A. D. 1854, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you, and your property sold to pay the debt. Dated ... January, A. D. 1854.
... JOHN BRENNAN, Plaintiff.

MUSIC ... COMPANY ... Landis, Harpel ... [illegible]

MATS—Jute, Grass, and Fancy Mats, for sale cheap by sep26 HERBERT REED.

KIRBY'S ACCOMMODATION HACK.

KIRBY may be found, with his Hack, on Main street, near the Theatre, in the day time, and any orders left for him at "Old Kirby's" Jewelry Store, corner of Wisconsin and East Water streets, will be promptly attended to.

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KIRBY hopes by close attention to business to please all. dec2

CITY OMNIBUS LINE.
First Ward, Spring street Hill, Kilbourntown and Walker's Point.

Running regularly from 6 o'clock A. M. to 9 o'clock P. M. ☞ Tickets to be had at the Stage Office, Wisconsin street, or of the Drivers. Price Five Cents. je26

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GREAT FURNITURE
—AND—
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Embracing nearly every article belonging to the Trade.—Also

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Comprising every thing peculiar to that important department of trade. Also,

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An article altogether unique, and which is destined to supersede the perishable wooden coffin now in use. Call and see them.

Also agents for the sale of Thompson, Price & Co.'s celebrated Varnishes and Japans.

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NOTICE is hereby given that we have this day withdrawn from the firm of F. M. Shoyer & Co. All persons having claims against the late firm of F. M. Shoyer & Co., will present them for payment, and all those indebted will please make immediate payment.
GABRIEL SHOYER,
WM. SHOYER.

Notice is given that the firm of F. M. Shoyer & Co., will be continued as heretofore by the undersigned.
F. M. SHOYER,
my23 SAM SHOYER.

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THE CALIFORNIA FENCE IS DOWN!!
THE ELEPHANT IS COMING!

J. HOOD, Auction and Commission Merchant at the new Checkered Auction Room, No. 190 East Water Street, where liberal cash advances will be made on all kinds of Merchandize, Furniture, &c., for auction or private sales. MONEY LOANED on personal security.

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Milwaukee, July 25, 1851. jy25

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Of all the kinds used in the State of Wisconsin.

A good assortment of Paper-Hangings.

Green, blue and dark figured Chinese, and blended Curtain Papers, Fire board Prints, a beautiful article.

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THE undersigned, Agent of these well known Companies, continues to take Risks on Life and Property. Ludington's Block, corner E. Water and Wisconsin sts.
dec11yr ELLIS WORTHINGTON, Agent.

TO RAIL-ROAD CONTRACTORS

GREGORY & HUNTINGTON, Civil Engineers and Surveyors, are ready to prepare Estimates and draw Proposals and Contracts for persons desirous of applying for the same on any of the Railroads, or other Public Works.
july8

CHINA WARE, &c.—A complete assortment of Band, White and Gilt Lustre China Dinner and Tea Setts, white Iron Stone, Flowing Blue, Mulberry, Light blue and Common Ware, also a full stock of Glass Ware, Waiters, Knives and Forks, Brittannia Ware, &c., can be found at the sign of the "Big Pitcher."
jy9 w F. J. BLAIR.

SHADY SIDE, Last Leaf from Sunny Side, Beatrice, Modern Flirtation, Fern Leaves, Bible in the Counting House, Fieldleg's Business Treatise, Solomon Northrop, &c., &c., just received and for sale by
... HALL & PIERCE.

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AN EXCELLENT article of *Brier Hill, Brookfield, Ormsby, Tallmadge and Chippewa Coal,* will be sold at **low rates.** Call and see
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aug15 H. REED'S

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IN the best manner at 23 Spring Street, three doors east of the American, by
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... PENS ... [illegible] HALL & PIERCE.

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A superior assortment of Gaiters, Buskins and Slippers, the quality and style of all these goods exceed anything before in this market. A full supply of Misses' and children's Gaiters, Bootees and Slippers.

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fe27 DECKER & SEVILLE.

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I. P. ROGERS having purchased the entire Stock in Trade formerly belonging to N. JEWETT, will continue the

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The Hat, Cap, and Furnishing business,

in all their branches at the old stand, No. 173 East Water street, where he will be happy to see all the old customers of the establishment, and endeavor by fair dealing, to make new ones.

In the CUSTOM DEPARTMENT he has secured the services of Mr. J. T. WEEKS, long and favorably known in this community.

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WOOD AND TIMBER. Constantly on hand a great variety of Pails, Tubs, Churns, Half Bushels, &c. which will be sold cheap and delivered within the city free of charge. Factory on water power, 2d Ward.
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GEORGE E. H. DAY,
Counsellor at Law, Bickerman's Block.
December 16, 1853. dec17

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